WEATHER
Rain and some snow mixed with colder tonight; snow flurries and colder Tuesday.

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4 DEAD, 10 HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENTS

U.S. DEMAND EXPECTED ON RUSSIA TODAY

End of Conference Likely If Facts About Germany Are Not Given.

By The Associated Press

LONDON, Dec. 15—A United States demand that the Soviet Union lift the curtain of secrecy surrounding her activities in the eastern zone of Germany was expected to open today's session of the Big Four foreign ministers conference.

If Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov refuses—as he has in the past—to supply figures on Russia's reparations removals from her occupation zone, the conference may come to speedy end.

Drastic Step Possible

Top American diplomatic officials said today that unless Soviet Foreign Minister Molotov unexpectedly softens his stand on German reparations a move may be expected almost immediately to end the conference.

U. S. Secretary of State George C. Marshall paved the way for the anticipated U. S. demand by issuing a statement yesterday in which he categorically denied that the United States or Britain had received any profit from transactions in western Germany as charged Friday by Molotov.

He also declared:

▶The U. S. "long ago" proposed—without success—a moratorium on the acquisition of foreign ownership or control of property in Germany.

▶It has scrupulously carried out in its own zone the moratorium it proposed.

▶It attempted in vain to obtain "factual statements" on the changes in foreign ownership of property in each of the zones of occupation.

▶There has not been a single case of American acquisition of German business property during the entire occupation.

Marshall added that all goods—including both coal and timber—shipped out of Germany from the American and British zones have been sold at world market prices. And the proceeds have gone to buy "essential imports for the German economy."

He said these German exports amounted to $165,000,000 since the first of the year.

600 HEAR ANNUAL MUSICAL VESPERS

Lecture-Recital Program Presented at Presbyterian Church

An audience of nearly 600 heard the Lecture-Recital club chorus and John Bennett Ham of Springfield, guest baritone soloist, in the annual vesper musicale Sunday afternoon at First Presbyterian church. Miss Rosaline Manzo was the piano accompanist both for the chorus and for Mr. Ham. The chorus of 60 voices was directed by Miss Elizabeth Edgar, public school music supervisor, and soloists with the chorus were Mrs. Eleanor Smith and Miss Patricia Dearing. Mrs. Anna VonEndt Brown of Mansfield was guest violin accompanist for portions of the outstanding "Ave Maria," Bach-Gounod number by the chorus, and Mrs. Eliza Williams was organist.

Rev. Howard L. Olewiler, host pastor, offered the invocation and spoke the benediction. Program aids were Roxanna Pauling, Mary Ellen Hinanton, Joan Warner, Jean Glassmeyer, Alla Lee Robinson and Jane Baldauf. A generous contribution for music in veterans hospitals was received at the church doors.

Mr. Ham, who is head of the voice department of Wittenberg college at Springfield, presented five groups of numbers. He is in demand as a soloist and has appeared in Marion previously with the Civic chorus. His repertoire included sacred numbers and spirituals. Two Christmas spirituals concluded his part of the program.

Numbers by the chorus were presented in three groups, two sacred numbers in Latin and an anthem composing the first part, the "Ave Maria" with solos sung in the second group, and concluding group composed of two secular numbers and a Christmas lullaby, "Beside His Manger," Gibb.

TEMPERATURES

Noon Today	31
(For period between 8 a. m. yesterday and 8 a. m. today.)	
Maximum	39
Minimum	26
One Year Ago Today	
Maximum	31
Minimum	23

GROMYKO CHANGES HIS ADDRESS. Chief Russian delegate to the United Nations, Andrei A. Gromyko is giving up his present modest quarters in New York City and moving into the Park avenue mansion shown above. The imposing structure was bought for $1,000,000 this year by the Soviet government. (International Photo)

EUROPEAN AID MESSAGE NEAR

Will Give Long-Range Program This Week, Truman Tells Congress Leaders.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—President Truman told congressional leaders today he will have a message for congress this week on long-range European recovery aid.

This assures that the legislators will have the message for study during their vacation between the end of the current special session and the opening of the regular session Jan. 6. Plans are to adjourn the special session Friday.

Both Republican and Democratic leaders were called to the White House to hear Mr. Truman's plans.

The President's talk with the group lasted but 15 minutes.

Leaving the parley, Senator Vandenberg (R-Mich), presiding officer of the senate, told reporters:

"The President wanted to notify us he will have his message on long-range recovery ready for submission this week.

"He wanted to know our adjournment plan because he wants to submit the message before we leave.

"There was no decision as to when the message will reach us but with adjournment of the special session set for Friday the message will arrive prior to that date."

No Advance Details

Vandenberg added that Mr. Truman did not give the group any details of the message.

Others attending the conference were Senator White (R-Me), the senate majority leader; Senator Barkley (D-Ky), minority leader, and Senator Connally (D-Tex), minority leader of the foreign relations committee; House Speaker Martin (R-Mass), Chairman Eaton (R-NJ) of the house foreign affairs committee; Representative Halleck (R-Ind) house majority leader; Representative Rayburn, (D-Tex), house minority leader, and Representative Bloom (D-NY), ranking minority member of the house foreign affairs committee.

From the White House, the leaders went back to the capitol where plans were laid to speed final action on a measure approving $597,000,000 of emergency aid for France, Italy, Austria, and China.

The Story of Lolly, British Heroine

Lolly is one of the great heroines of modern times.

She is one of the multitude of British housewives, fighting against great odds to clothe and feed her family in the second battle of Britain. The story of Lolly Sergrott and how she is making out in her struggle on this threshold of a new winter is a human drama of life in England today. It is touching, tender and spiced with down-to-earth humor.

Told by Inez Robb, star feature writer for International News Service. The story of Lolly is at once that of one woman in millions, and millions of women in one.

Mrs. Robb first met the Sergrotts during the black days of the London blitz early in the war. Now in the second year of peace Mrs. Robb found the family still living within the most devastated section of London. She talked and visited with them for days.

Lolly's story will be published in five chapters starting in The Star today on Page 2.

Ill Veteran's Home Now Has Water As Neighbors Help

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Thanks to 75 neighbors and former servicemen who laid 170-foot pipelines, water flowed from the faucets today in the home of William Smith Jr., 27-year-old Army veteran suffering from a blood disease.

Smith, now undergoing treatment for the Army-contracted illness at Crile veterans administration hospital, moved his wife and baby son into their pre-fabricated home in nearby Chagrin Falls last March.

Everything was right except the plumbing. Village officials decided contractors' bids were too high for extending water and sewer lines to his front yard. A village ordinance also prohibited installation of a septic tank or outhouse.

So for months the former sergeant and his wife carried water in pails from neighbors' homes and hoped city council finally would come to their aid.

Then, after Smith's illness forced his removed to the hospital, neighbors and veterans in the community became aroused. City council still wouldn't budge and so they decided to act themselves.

Yesterday, the group that included one former lieutenant commander and a major, went to work with donated pipe and borrowed tools. Women living nearby served them a big meal at noon.

By night the job was done and water coursed through the pipes.

SCHOOL AT LA RUE CLOSED BY ILLNESS

Special to The Star

LA RUE, Dec. 15 — The La Rue school closed today as a result of the spread of a scarlet fever epidemic in the community. Eleven children are now under quarantine and eight others have been released after recuperating from the disease which began about the middle of October.

With an epidemic of sore throat and influenza also prevalent in the community it has been difficult to determine when illness has been scarlet fever.

With the closing of the school Supt. C. M. Barden announced that all activities under the direction of the school would be suspended, including basketball games and practice, a Christmas operetta by the grade school children, and the veterans' vocational work.

It has not been determined when the school will reopen but will be closed during this week and possibly until after New Years.

SHOE MACHINERY CO. CALLED MONOPOLY

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Attorney General Clark today charged the United Shoe Machinery Corporation of Boston with establishing a monopoly in production of machinery for making shoes.

Clark announced a civil anti-trust suit was filed this morning in the U.S. district court at Boston, under the Sherman anti-trust act.

A justice department statement said the suit seeks to compel the corporation to sell all its plants used in manufacture of shoe machinery and tanning machinery "and to offer to sell its machinery to shoe manufacturers instead of only leasing, as it does now, and to make available to its competitors all patents and know-how relating to shoe machinery."

GIRL'S SLAYER GUILTY, WILL ASK NEW TRIAL

Shappard's Attorney Says He Will File Motion; Sentencing Is Delayed.

Attorney Ralph Carhart indicated today that a motion for a new trial for Ray A. Shappard would be filed in Marion county common pleas court possibly as early as Tuesday.

Shappard was found guilty Saturday of first degree murder with a recommendation of mercy in the slaying of Roxie Ann Green. The jury reported its verdict at 3:17 p. m. after deliberating two hours and 35 minutes.

The state had asked the death penalty for the Prospect handyman who confessed he beat the young schoolgirl to death with a hammer.

Concerning the possible appeal if the court overrules his motion for a new trial, Carhart said he had not as yet consulted Shappard as to his wishes. He was to confer with Shappard this afternoon.

Judge Paul D. Smith has not indicated when Shappard will be brought before the court to receive sentence. The date of sentence will hinge on the course of action taken by Shappard's attorneys Ralph and Dwight Carhart.

If a motion for a new trial is not forthcoming, Shappard may soon make the trip to the Ohio penitentiary in Columbus to serve the mandatory life sentence.

According to the Ohio Criminal Code Section 2210-1, the confessed killer of the 16-year-old Prospect High school sophomore may become eligible for parole after serving 20 years of the life sentence. The criminal code originally provided that only subsequent proof of innocence or pardon by the governor could free a person sentenced to life imprisonment after being found guilty of first degree murder by a jury that recommended mercy. This was amended, however, by an act of the legislature which County Prosecutor James E. Reed said became effective Oct. 11, 1945.

In his charge Saturday morning, Judge Smith informed the jury that a recommendation of mercy in connection with a verdict of guilty to the charge of first degree murder would reduce the death penalty to life imprisonment from which the prisoner could be released only by pardon from the governor or subsequent proof of innocence. The jury had a copy of the charge with them during their deliberations.

The state, however, made no move to rectify the error, either while the judge was reading the charge or before the jury retired at 11 a. m. to consider a verdict.

Carl West Was Foreman

Carl W. West of 522 Polk street was chosen foreman of the jury. West who is employed as a truck driver for the City of Marion had the double distinction of being the first colored person to serve in a capital case in Marion county and to be chosen to speak for that body comprising eight men and four women.

After deliberating for 50 minutes, the jury accompanied by the court bailiff Fred Miller lunched at the Hotel Harding returning to the courthouse and the jury room at 1:30 to resume the task of reaching a unanimous verdict.

Shortly after 3:05 p. m. West informed bailiff Miller that the jury had reached a verdict. They had been out two hours and 25 minutes. Agreement had been reached on the fourth ballot. On the first two, three jurors were still set on the death penalty. On the third ballot the count was ten and two.

A delay of approximately ten minutes occurred while Shappard was brought back to the courtroom from the county jail where he had been returned at noon.

Courtroom Tense

The courtroom was tense. Very few spectators had budged from their seats in the interval after the case had been given to the jury. When the word spread that the jury was about to report, additional spectators eager to hear the verdict in Marion county's first murder trial in ten years, crowded into electrically charged atmosphere of the somber courtroom.

Shappard appeared in handcuffs, flanked by Sheriff LeRoy

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COLD WAVE SPREADS

By The Associated Press

Another cold wave was overspreading the upper midwestern states today while virtually all the rest of the nation had normal or slightly above normal temperatures. The Chicago weather bureau said the coldest weather early today was centered in North Dakota where Pembina reported 10 below zero but that the frigid blast was moving into northern Iowa and Wisconsin.

YULE DECORATIONS GREET STREET CAR RIDERS. Conductor on a Philadelphia street car, Mrs. Martha Kashmer (right) decks her trolley with bells, candy canes, evergreens, poinsettias and other Christmas decorations. Only mistletoe is barred. (International Soundphoto)

Republicans Move for Speedy Anti-Inflation Bill Passage

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—House G.O.P. leaders ordered an eleventh hour strategy huddle today on their plan to pound the Republican anti-inflation bill to passage without letting the opposition lay a hand on it.

Democrats seethed. Some said the majority party couldn't get away with it.

The idea was to plunk the four-point program before the house with word to take it or nothing.

Based on voluntary efforts to hold down living costs, the bill then would be pushed to a vote under a procedure so rigid it would:

Forbid any changes, restrict debate to 20 minutes for and 20 against, and require a two-thirds majority for passage.

Only a final nod from the leadership was needed to set the plan in motion. And a meeting was arranged for mid morning among Senator Martin (R-Mass), Majority Leader Halleck of Indiana, and Chairman Wolcott (R-Mich), of the banking committee, who introduced the bill.

Rank and file Republicans were told to be on the house floor for a showdown shortly after noon.

A strong hint that the "take it or leave it" label would stick came from Halleck, who issued a statement last night saying if this bill fails Democrats "will have to take responsibility" for killing all economic legislation at the special session scheduled to end this Friday.

Called "Outrageous"

House Democratic leader Rayburn of Texas, cried "outrageous" and "strongarm" tactics.

But Martin predicted the measure would pass with votes to spare.

Then, in the deepening economic schism between the White House and the Republican majority in congress, Senator O'Mahoney (D-Wyo) declared the G.O.P. has offered the country a "big business' 'and "pro-monopoly" rather than an anti-inflation bill.

Here's what the Republican measure, up for a house showdown, would do:

1. Permit and encourage business, industry and agriculture to agree on (A) sharing transportation facilities, (b) marketing livestock and poultry in a manner to use grain most effectively, (c) dividing up scarce commodities and (d) regulation speculation on the commodity exchanges.

And such voluntary agreements, when approved by the President, would be immune from anti-trust law prosecutions. However, price-fixing would be specifically barred, and no agreement could extend beyond March 1, 1949.

2. Continue export controls for one year from Feb. 29, 1948, and authorize the President to fix maximum mark-up in export prices over domestic prices.

3. Continue for the same period existing presidential power to allocate box cars and other rail transportation facilities.

4. Increase from 24 per cent to 40 per cent the gold reserves behind currency issued by federal reserve banks; increase from 25 per cent to 35 per cent the gold reserves federal reserve banks must carry to support deposits of commercial banks.

8 SHOPPING DAYS TO CHRISTMAS

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BULLETIN

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—The house Republican high command decreed today a "this or nothing now" vote on their substitute for President Truman's anti-inflation program, and said if their bill fails the Democrats will be responsible for shelving all cost-of-living legislation.

Democrats immediately announced a "last ditch" fight against the measure, putting its fate in doubt.

4 DEAD REPORTED IN SHIP COLLISION

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—At least four persons were killed and several reported missing early today after a collision between two tankers off Curacao, Dutch West Indies.

Dispatches from Willemstad, Surinam, said both ships were aflame and that the count of dead and missing was being compiled as victims were being landed.

The Argentine tanker Los Pozos and that Venezuelan tanker Tucapital collided in Curacao bay at about 4 a. m. The Los Pozos, 5,810 gross tons, is owned by the Argentine Navigation company.

Reports to the coast guard here said the British motorship San Eliseo was standing by the burning tankers and attempting to get her small boats near enough to help rescue the crews.

The tug Killerig, of the Merritt-Chapman and Scott Corp., New York, was reported aground, "filling up," and being abandoned by the crew in lifeboats one mile off Morant Point, Jamaica, B. W. I. The crew was estimated at 40 or more.

the coast guard cutter Sagebrush, one of several ships heading for the tugboat, was expected to reach her at 9:30 a. m.

Merritt-Chapman and Scott, the Coast Guard said, dispatched a launch from Kingston, Jamaica, to the tug.

A company source in New York said it is not positive the tug is the Killerig.

Two Ohioans Chosen For Rhodes Scholarships

By The Associated Press

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 15—Walter Elder of Gambier, O., and 2nd Lt. Wesley W. Posvar of Lakewood, O., will enter Oxford university, England, next fall as Rhodes scholars.

They were among the half-dozen scholarship winners selected here over the weekend from candidates from Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Ohio, Michigan and Wisconsin.

Elder, a graduate of Kenyon college, is a philosophy instructor there. Posvar, a West Point graduate, is with the Army Air Forces.

Each scholarship carries a stipend of 400 pounds sterling a year for two or three years study at Oxford.

COLLEGE FUND AID ADVOCATED

Truman Board Urges Federal Help To Double Enrollment by 1960.

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Federal financial help to double college enrollments by 1960 was proposed today by President Truman's commission on higher education.

Adding a denunciation of minority "quota systems" and racial segregation in schooling to its first report, the 28-member body said the United States not only faces shortages of doctors, teachers and others but stands in peril of fostering an "intellectual elite."

Mr. Truman released the 103-page document with a statement urging all citizens "examine it carefully."

"For the great majority of our boys and girls," the report said, "the kind and amount of education they may hope to attain depends, not on their abilities, but on the family or community into which they happen to be born or, worse still, on the color of their skin or the religion of their parents."

The report criticized the "quota system" for admission by which it said many universities deny learning to "certain minorities, particularly to Negroes and Jews."

"This practice is a violation of a major American principle and is contributing to the growing tension in one of the most crucial areas of our democracy," said the commission headed by George F. Zook, president of the American Council on Education.

Discrimination Charged

The report asserted that despite laws guaranteeing equal advantages, inferior education is given to Negroes in the 17 states and the district of Columbia where segregation is practiced.

To perpetuate a system in which the "underprivileged areas and families" supply most of the children, without assuring them full educational opportunity, is "sure to prove disastrous to the level of our culture and to the whole fabric of our democratic institutions," the document contended.

Four southern members of the commission dissented from the

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JEWS ASK OUSTER OF ALL ARAB TROOPS

By The Associated Press

JERUSALEM, Dec. 15—Jewish leaders called upon the Palestine government today to order the immediate evacuation from Palestine of all Trans-Jordan Arab Legion troops, a detachment of which yesterday machinegunned a truck convoy near Tel Aviv, killing 14 Jews and wounding 15 others.

The Arab Legion forces, which are offered by Britons, are on loan to the Palestine government for police duty in the Holy Land.

Demands for withdrawal of the forces coincided with a grenade attack on a truckload of Arab legion troops near the Mustasim police barracks in Jerusalem. One soldier was injured in the bombing.

A spokesman for Hagana declared that "failure of the British to evacuate these foreign troops will be considered a British provocation against the Jewish defense forces."

NINE MISHAPS CLAIM HEAVY TOLL IN AREA

Two Morrow and Delaware County Crashes Each Take Two Lives.

Weekend traffic accidents claimed a toll of four dead and 10 injured in Marion and vicinity over the weekend.

Two Delaware men died when their motorcycle crashed into a guard rail after hitting an automobile and Ashley and Richwood men were killed when their car crashed into a train near Ashley.

City police and the state highway patrol substation here reported nine accidents in this area from Saturday afternoon to and including this morning. In Ohio 18 persons met accidental death in weekend mishaps, The Associated Press reported.

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Richwood, Ashley Men Die in Crash

Special to The Star

ASHLEY, Dec. 15—Two men were killed instantly at 3:57 p. m. yesterday when their car collided with a New York Central passenger train at a grade crossing 0½ miles south of Cardington on Morrow county road 21.

The dead: Ira DeWayne Wells, 37, of near Richwood, driver of the car; and Edward A. Farley, 55, of near Ashley, a cousin of Wells and a passenger in his car.

The car, going west on the county road, was demolished when struck by the northbound New York Central train No. 404.

Mr. Wells died of a crushed skull and Mr. Farley of a crushed chest.

The two men had just left the Farley home when the accident occurred. Their destination was not known.

The grade crossing is about four miles east of route 42, and a mile north of Ashley.

Farley's body was brought to the C. R. Lee funeral home here and Mr. Well's body was removed to the Winter funeral home in Richwood.

Mr. Farley was born in southern Ohio and had lived in this community about 20 years. He was a farmer and stockbuyer.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Mary Farley, and children, Mrs. Ada Belle Votaw and Eleanor, Freda, Cleo, Raymond and Doyle Farley, all at home, five grandchildren, and two sisters and a brother, all of Akron, Mrs. Loretta Howes, Mrs. Ora Miller and Albert Farley.

Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the Lee funeral home. Burial will be in Ashley Union cemetery.

Ira DeWayne Wells, was born Aug. 16, 1890, in Jackson county, W. Va., a son of John Wells and Milinda Murray Wells, both natives of Ohio. He was married Dec. 25, 1912 in Wert county, W. Va., to Miss Anna Archer, who survives. He was engaged in farming an was a member of the Methodist church at Claiborne.

Surviving with his wife are three sons, Calvin Wells of near Richwood, Eugene Wells of Lawsonville, Ind., and Richard Wells of near Huntington, W. Va., four grandchildren, and two sisters, Miss Della Wells of Marysville, and Mrs. Sam Schowalter of Chester, O. A son, Travis, Wells, is missing in action.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. Thursday in the Methodist church in Claiborne by Rev. Wiley of Elida, O., and Rev. Brewster of Richwood. Burial will be Claiborne cemetery. The body will be removed from the Winter funeral home to his residence where friends may call.

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Two Delaware Men Killed in Accident

Special to The Star

DELAWARE, Dec. 15—Injuries suffered in a motorcycle accident Sunday were fatal to Acarah Eugene Fraker, 23, and Wesley D. Hart, 20, both of Delaware. The accident occurred about 2:15 p. m. on Route 42 at the northeast edge of Delaware at Greenwood Lake when the motorcycle on which they were riding apparently skidded on a curve, crossed over into the oncoming traffic, crashed head-on into an automobile and then struck a guard rail, Earl Fravel, Delaware county sheriff, said.

The two men, both ex-servicemen, suffered crushed chests and internal injuries. Fraker was killed instantly and Hart, owner of the motorcycle and thought to be driving, died an hour later in Jane Case hospital.

The automobile struck by the motorcycle was driven by Walter Castello, 55, also of Delaware. His wife, Mrs. Frances Castello, a

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Lolly, British Heroine

British Housewives Have Major Role in Second Battle of Britain

This is the story of Lolly, a typical English housewife and mother in the Cockney section of London. How this working class family is making out against drastic shortages in food, clothing and fuel is told by Inez Robb, star feature writer for International News Service, who has just returned from England. Following is the first in a series of five articles.

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By INEZ ROBB

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Lolly Segrott is one of the great, unsung heroines of the second battle of Britain.

No one is ever going to hang any medals on Lolly or her kind. She will never be "mentioned in dispatches" or summoned to Buckingham Palace for commendation.

But when this second great battle of Britain is won, as it most surely will be won, it will be the Lollies of Britain who were the architects of victory.

Never have so many Lollies worked with so little to feed and clothe such a multitude. How they do it is a miracle of grit, ingenuity and endless queueing up.

Lolly Segrott, now in her mid-forties, is a working housewife in Bermondsey, the most badly blitzed and one of the poorest sections of London. Short and plump, Lolly is pretty, her red hair curling naturally about her cheerful face.

Both she and her husband Alfred, were born within the sound of cow bells, which makes them of the enduring Cockney breed. They have brought five children into the world, and despite poverty and war have instilled in them kindness and gentle manners.

In September, 1939, Alfred Segrott was a housepainter, earning around $20 a week. But almost overnight, a housepainter in Berlin changed all that. Alfred dropped his paint brush to enlist in the air raid precautions organization in Bermondsey.

In no time at all, his superiors discovered that Alfred, Cockney accent and all, had a genius for organization. He was soon chief of the whole ARP setup in the Bermondsey district.

It was in those days, poking about in the blitzed areas of Bermondsey, that I became acquainted with the Segrotts.

We have been firm friends ever since. Much that I know about the brave and enduring qualities of Britain, I have learned from this family, so poor in the world's goods and so rich in heart and spirit.

It was Alfred and his counterparts in every class who fought the first battle of Britain so bravely.

The dining-sitting room of the small Segrott flat in one of Bermondsey's slum-clearance projects does not boast much in the way of interior decoration, except two framed commendations for bravery which his majesty, George VI, was pleased to bestow upon Alfred during the blitz.

Battle Forces Changed

Now in the second great battle of Britain, the struggle has slipped on to the shoulders of Lolly and her sister housewives in every grade of English society.

It is the housewife who feeds and clothes her family and makes do out of nothing. It is the Lollies who pass along their own slim rations to husbands and children to supplement their slender diet of 2,700 calories—a thousand less than the average man eats in America.

When the ultimate blow, potato rationing, was announced last month, English newspapers cried out in alarm. They pointed out that this meant another drastic cut in the diet of the housewife, already the most undefeated group in England, as she would inevitably pass along her share to her family.

Lolly today carries on two full-time jobs simultaneously. She keeps a neat house and feeds and clothes her family. And she works five days a week in a printing shop.

Like many working class families in America, similar families in England find that one pay check will not support the family adequately.

All Must Help

Alfred earns about $25 a week now, as Bermondsey's bomb damage appraisal expert. This is a good wage for a British working man.

But the few pounds Lolly brings home each week and the mite contributed by Joanie, the 16-year-old daughter who is a telephone switchboard operator still do not leave much surplus when the weeks bills are paid. (Joanie earns $8.50 per week.)

The Segrotts estimated that since I last visited them the cost of living has risen fully 100 per cent for them.

The difficulties of living have risen even more, even with no bombs falling.

Lolly was ill and hospitalized for many weeks last summer. Her fellow employes in the printing shop where she works took up a collection and sent her money.

It never occurred to Lolly to spend it on a bed jacket—one does not need pretty bed jackets in Bermondsey—or even a new dress.

To Lolly the money was a God-send. When she got out of the hospital she walked around to the coal merchant bought the family's winter supply of fuel.

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(Tomorrow—A lesson in how to end waste in cooking, the way Lolly uses every scrap.)

don't DO that!

DON'T POSE beneath the mistletoe. It's embarrassing to the men in the room, if they're the bashful type, and they may be

NAMED SUPERVISORS

MT. GILEAD—Scott Belt of Canaan township and Fred Brown of Gilead township were named supervisors of the Headwaters Soil Conservation district in an election held this week. Kenneth Morse of the Ohio division of conservation attended and discussed farm pond building. Supervisors entered into an agreement with the conservation department so that farm ponds built and approved are eligible for development as wild life habitats.

LEGION DISTRICT WINS $100 PRIZE

This Area Takes First Place in Membership Contest.

An award of $100 has been received by the Sixth district, American Legion, in which Marion county is located, as a result of membership contests conducted by the Department of Ohio Legion. This was the second award made by the state department, the previous one also of $100 being awarded to the Second district as an Armistice day award on Nov. 11. As a result, the Sixth district is second biggest in Ohio in membership.

D. J. MacDonald of Marion, district vice commander, received word of the award Friday. Tom Campbell of Mt. Gilead is district commander.

The awards at each time were made to the district having the largest percentage of its 1948 membership paid up by the date designated, the first award date being Nov. 11 and the latter being Dec. 7, Pearl Harbor day. The percentage was based on the membership percentage of 1947.

Following the first deadline winner, the Second district, was dropped from the contest and could not participate for the second $100 award. The awards were made by the department headquarters in Columbus and the money is taken from headquarters funds. The Sixth district is to decide what to do with the money at a district conference in January in Delaware.

The Sixth district now has 3,169 members, which is a percentage of 55.821. The Second district, the highest in Ohio, won the first award with 59.609 per cent.

The 14 districts in Ohio are now working toward another $100 membership award which will be given at the state convention to be held Aug. 6-7-8 in Columbus. This contest is open to all Ohio districts and will begin July 7.

HARPSTER YULE PARTY

A Christmas party for the Harpster Girl Scout troop was held Wednesday night at the home of Helen Jo, Shirley and Louise Turney, with 34 present. It was announced that a new senior troop is being formed under leadership of Maxine Porter. Games were played and Christmas carols sung.

SEEKS $2,500 DAMAGES

BUCYRUS—Negligence and care lessness are charged in a court action seeking $2,500 damages filed by Samuel E. Freeman of Toledo against Donald C. Brown of Bucyrus. The suit is the outgrowth of an automobile accident on East Mansfield street Sept. 6, last year.

Keeping Funeral Costs Out of Inflation . . .

One of the things that always is a foremost consideration at the Hughes Funeral Home is to keep cost down to a level every family can afford.

In these days that is no easy task. Items used in funeral service have been caught in the same price spiral that affects everything else. It is only by careful, personal management that we have been able to keep our own prices on a fairly even keel.

The management of Hughes Funeral Service invites your investigation of our ability to serve at fair prices — even in today's market.

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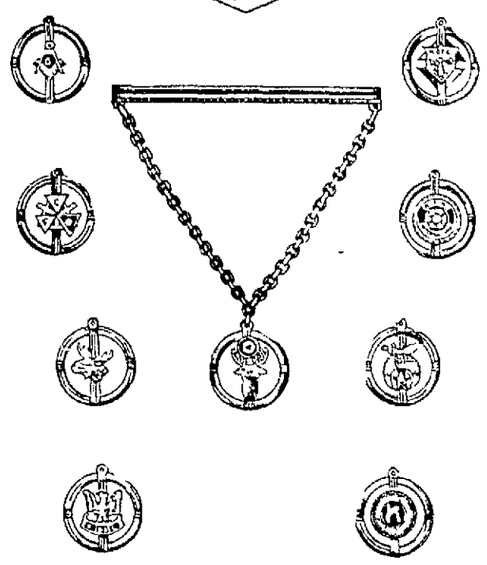

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By DR. HERMAN N. BUNDESEN

Prevention of Tooth Decay

...the discouraging fact ...decay is becoming more ...e have the fortunate ...entistry today is more ...e and skillful than ...cooperation of the pa- ...dern dentist can do ...p the teeth in good ...He can, for instance, de- tect decay when it is just begin- ning. At this stage he can save the tooth by removing the decayed area and filling the cavity. But all this is possible only when he is consulted early enough. That is why I stress the need of coopera- tion on the part of the patient. Only by going to the dentist for frequent check-ups can he make sure that decay will be discovered at the beginning.

Some people seem to have spe- cial susceptibility to tooth decay, while in others the teeth are more resistant. Just why this difference exists has not been definitely de- termined. It is thought that per- haps it is a matter of heredity or the type of diet which the mother uses during pregnancy.

More effect is constantly being put on preventive measures and some progress has been made. One method which is being widely em- ployed is to put an element known as fluorine into the drinking wa- ter.

In twenty-six cities in the United States, experiments with fluorinated water are going on, and the results thus far seem to be promising. In fact, the results have been so good that many dentists have urged that all of the water in the United States be fluorinated. On the other hand some time may yet be required to determine just what amount of fluorine is safe in drinking wa- ter.

Another method of employing fluorination is for the dentists to apply a solution of sodium fluoride directly to the teeth. This method has also been thoroughly tested and would seem to reduce decay about 40 per cent.

Other methods of using the fluorine such as putting it into toothpaste or taking fluorine tab- lets, have not yet been tested enough to determine their value and dangers.

Still another method of prevent- ing tooth decay, which has re- ceived some attention, is the appli- cation to the teeth of a solution of zinc chloride and potassium fer- rocyanide. It is claimed that this treatment may be even better than the use of sodium fluoride. These substances, it is believed, may block up the little cracks in the teeth, thus keeping the germs from getting in and starting the decay process.

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One Man's Opinion

By WALTER KIERNAN

The National Poultry show fol- lowed the prize fights into Madi- son Square Garden ... Purina has Marty Monroe's seat.

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Mr Louis says he'll knock out Mr Walcott next time ... It's dif- ferences of opinion like this that make million and a half dollar gates.

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Meanwhile Harold Stassen is fighting Harry Truman and Tom Dewey for free ... And if he had another hand he'd take on Wallace.

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The last I heard of Hank, Rus- sia was still right and we were still wrong.

Morrow Co. Fair Board Holds Annual Election

MT GILEAD — Guy Renz of Lincoln township was reelected president of the Morrow county fairboard at a meeting of the group held recently in Mt. Gilead. Roy Linn of Franklin township was elected vice president suc- ceeding C. N. Dildine of Westfield township, Walter Long of Carding- ton was renamed treasurer, and Glen Brown of Gilead township was rehired as fair secretary. Frances Bolinger of Canaan town- ship was named to the fair board to succeed T. C. Curl who re- signed after moving from the township.

The temporary dates Aug 18-21 were selected by the fair board for the 98th annual event to be held next summer. The fair will be of four days duration next year in- stead of the usual three and will begin on Wednesday morning and continue through Saturday night. Aug 18, will be designated as jun- ior fair day. No races are planned for the opening day.

Martel Grange Meets At School Auditorium

At a meeting of Martel Grange Tuesday night, Dec 9, in the Mar- tel school auditorium, Mr. and Mrs J. K. Neff were named to attend the Marion county safety meeting to be held in the near fu- ture. A report was given by Mr Neff on the relief committee, and arrangements were made for a turkey supper to be served Jan 13 at the installation meeting. The committee in charge of arrange- ments will be composed of Mr Neff, Walter Rinehart and Ralph Noggle. It was decided to have a Christmas gift exchange at the next meeting, Dec 23.

The program consisted of two poems written in commemoration of the anniversary of Pearl Harbor read by Mrs. Neff, a report of the Ohio state Grange convention giv- en by Mrs Elma Downs, a dele- gate, and a contest.

155 Kresge Employes Get Christmas Bonus

One hundred and fifty-five regular and part-time employes of the two Kresge Co. stores lo- cated at 143 and 146 West Center street will share in the distribu- tion of a Christmas bonus, it was announced today.

Under the enlarged Christmas remembrance plan this year cash bonuses for part time and Saturday employes have been in- creased. Length of service in the company determines the indivi- dual amounts of the gifts.

Richard Douthett, manager of the new Kresge store, said that paying a bonus each year has been the custom for more than 26 years. In the 697 Kresge stores in the United States and Canada, 40,000 employes benefit. Leonard Mc- Nail is manager for the northside Kresge store.

WINS AT EXPOSITION

BUCYRUS—Exhibiting his stock for the first time at the In- ternational Livestock show in Chicago, Ruel D. Thatcher, route 2 Bucyrus, of the Red Rum farm, won four prizes with the six Berkshire hogs entered in the bar- row show. Thatcher took seven Berkshires to the exposition.

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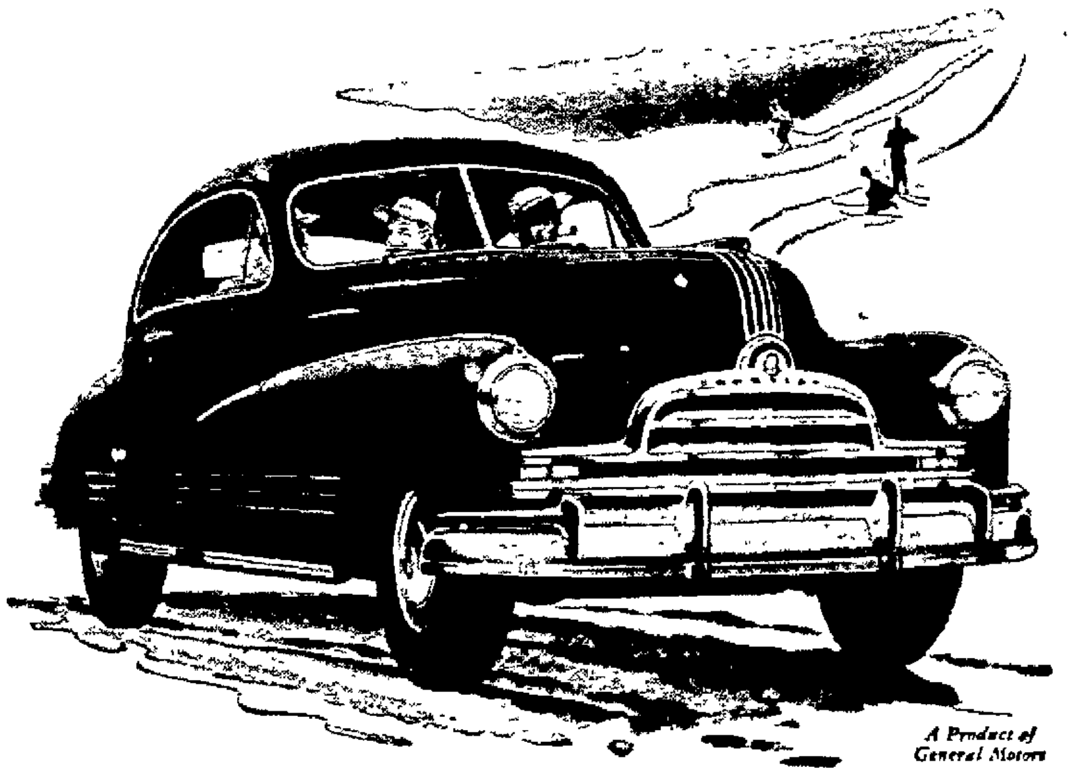

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News of Our Neighbors

Crestline

Mrs. Ann Barker was elected as noble grand of Florence Rebekah lodge to succeed Mrs. Theo Mahaffey Thursday night. Other officers elected were: vice grand, Mrs. Edna Gehrisch; recording secretary, Mrs. Eva Neiswander; financial secretary, Mrs. Ethel Emerich; deputy president, Mrs. Charles Love and trustee, Mrs. Cora Wright. A Christmas party followed and door prizes were won by Mrs. Ora Grim and Mrs. Luella Morgan. A gift exchange was held.

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Mrs. J. B. McCarter was hostess Thursday to the Wesleyan Book club of the Methodist church Mrs. M. N. Reed told the story of Margaret Sansler's anniversary and Mrs. McCarter and Mrs. Reed gave a puppet show.

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A Christmas dinner party was held at a Galion restaurant Thursday by the F.N.B. club, after which they came back to Crestline to the home of Mrs. M. F. Rice where bridge was played. Prizes were awarded to Mrs. Frank Yakubek, Mrs. F. W. Lockhart and Mrs. Harry Kraner. A gift exchange was held.

LaRue

A book review by Mrs. F. G. Cooper was a feature of the program on Ireland presented at a meeting of the Twentieth Century club Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. C. Snyder. Other numbers were Irish topics, songs and stories by the club. Mrs. Albert Amstutz and other members reviewed the last federation meeting in Marion.

During the business session the group voted to contribute $5 to the Marion County Children's home for Christmas gifts. A change in the date of the next meeting was announced from Dec. 23 to Dec. 22 at the home of Mrs. C. M. Barden for the annual Christmas program and gift exchange.

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Mrs. Velma Trihaft was elected president of the Methodist Mary-Martha circle when the group met at her home Tuesday evening. Associate hostesses were Mrs. Mary Dutton and Miss Della Owen. Names were drawn for hostesses for the coming year. Gifts were brought for a Christmas box to be sent to the Alvin Drew school at Pine Ridge, Ky. Worship service on the theme of Christmas was conducted by Mrs. Lillian Seiler. Mrs. Roberta Weist was in charge of the program which comprised readings by several members of the circle with Mrs. Betty Lightfoot pianist for group singing of carols.

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Two new members enrolled when the J.A.M. club met Thursday at the home of Mrs. Robert Carter were Mrs. William Stanbro and Mrs. Delbert Greenwood. A gift exchange was held both for the children and for the members. Winners in a contest conducted by the hostess were Mrs. Roy Grimes and Mrs. Stanbro. The group discussed programs for the coming year and a program committee was appointed consisting of Mrs. Stanbro, Mrs. Wilson Blue, Mrs. Russel Hardin and Mrs. Robert Hougendobler.

Galion

Miss Mary Mather, former Galion High school teacher, told of Christmas hymns and carols, as guest speaker for the annual Christmas party of the Current News club, Friday night. The party was held at the home of Mrs. Edgar B. Beall. Mrs. Glen Quay was chairman of the committee in charge of both program and social hour which followed. She opened the meeting with group singing of Christmas carols, and then presented Mrs. Beall for yuletide piano selections, and Mrs. W. E. Lott for a group of songs. Miss Mather concluded the program after which there followed an exchange of Christmas gifts and the serving of refreshments.

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Members of the Double Four club were entertained Friday at the home of Mrs. Lee Hathaway. A program of games and exchange of Christmas gifts followed a 6 o'clock dinner served by the hostess.

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A combined meeting of the Messenger and Men's Bible classes of First Baptist church was held recently at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Rhinehart. Games and contests were played and carols were sung.

Green Camp

The annual community Christmas party and program of Green Camp community will be held at 8 p. m. Dec. 22. Santa Claus will be present for the distribution of a treat to the children. Collection cans to help defray expenses have been placed in the business places. Citizens are urged to contribute. A burning Yule log will be a feature. In case of severe weather the program will be in the K. of P. hall.

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The Christmas program of Green Camp school was given Thursday night in the township hall. Mrs. Melvina Keeler, music teacher, was in charge. The band played several Christmas carols. The tonette band of grades three and four played two numbers. The Christmas story in song was presented by grades one through six. George Barber was the Scripture reader. Solo and speaking parts were taken by Lewis Finch, Marilyn Lindley, Claire Hensel, Troy Earhart, Bob Bish, Judy Reynolds, Carol Crum, Ann Cleland, Sylvia Leonard, Robert Williams, Warren Hensel, Charles Long, Loy Crum, William Bates. Charlotte Klein sang Silent Night in German and then accompanied by the audience sang it in English. The junior high mixed chorus sang four numbers. Concluding numbers were sung by the senior high mixed chorus, the male quartet, boys' chorus and the girls' chorus. Solo parts were taken by Jean Uncapher, Charles Curren, Jane Uncapher, Clifford Longnecker, Robert Smith, George Ruth, Donnabelle Rosebrough, Jenalee Ward, George Miller.

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Green Camp Pythian Sisters will hold a covered dish supper Tuesday night preceding the regular temple session. A Christmas gift exchange will be a feature. Husbands of the members will be guests.

Ashley

Ashley Child Study club met Thursday night with Mrs. Muriel McNamara. Mrs. Alice Wigton discussed the subject, "Teachers' Attitudes" followed by a general discussion. Christmas gifts were exchanged. Mrs. Maud Crist conducted contests. Winners were Mrs. Welch and Mrs. Erma Savage.

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Mrs. Hazel Fleming was hostess to the Justamere club at her home near Leonardsburg Thursday night. Two tables of euchre were in play and awards went to Mrs. Ino Gale, first, Mrs. Gladys Dildine, second, Mrs. Ruth Bryant, guest and Mrs. Gale played most lone hands. Election of officers resulted in Mrs. Ruth Selanders for president, Mrs. Nina Weiser, secretary.

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Farmers in the Triple A program for Oxford township met at Ashley school Dec. 3 and held election of officers. The new chairman is Warren Adams, first committeeman. James Barber; second committeman, Harry Martin; third committeeman, James Jackson; fourth committeeman Walter Veley.

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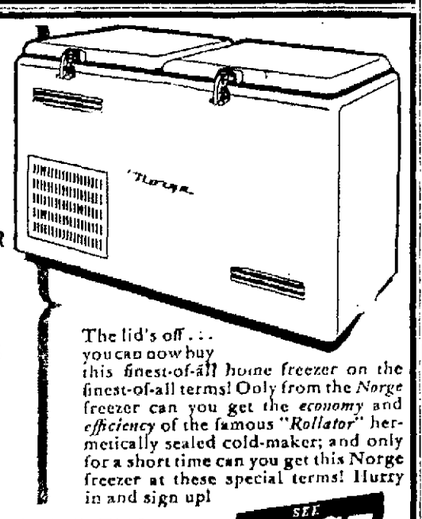

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Roving Reports

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK —A COCKTAIL PARTY is civilization's version of cannibals eating nuts."

People who go to cocktail parties say they loathe them. They're just happy hypocrites. Cocktail parties are wonderful.

They are zoos without bars. All animals can get together, and after the martinis have been passed a few times it is just like the happy carefree days back in the jungle.

I've never seen a movie or a play half as interesting as a good cocktail party, and I love them all the way down from the way they taste of paste-and-mustard right down to the sodium bicarbonate I need the next morning.

BOYLE

In New York, cocktail parties rarely happen accidentally. They usually have a deep-dyed "purpose" — to pay off social debts en masse, to launch a better mousetrap or to sell a celebrity that nobody ever heard of before except his mother and his publisher.

They are supposed to have a time limit, but the only ones who take it seriously are the host and/or the hostess. I like to go early and stay late, for the same reason that I hate to leave in the middle of a movie.

WHEN YOU ARRIVE the place is always fresh and magnificently neat. And when you leave it looks as if it had been kicked apart by a musculir horse.

Through the years you get accustomed to certain familiar figures, and I feel cheated now at a cocktail party unless these show up:

(1) The dour thin man who wanders around all evening with a glass of ginger ale muttering methodically: "Ulcers. My doctor says I can't drink a drop. Ulcers."

(2) The amateur juggler who wants to prove he can keep three oranges in the air, and ends up by smashing a window or hitting the guest of honor in the eye.

(3) The middleaged lady who sheds her shoes and inhibitions and rehearses old love affairs with windy regret.

(4) The drunk who spills his drink on the sofa while explaining how he burnt a hole in the rug with his cigaret.

(5) The aging wolf who wasn't satisfied with grandma and tries to paw all the pretty young Red Riding Hoods.

SOME PEOPLE complain the talk at cocktail parties never makes sense. But where can you hear such fabulous nonsense? It is conversation jet-propelled, and anybody who doesn't start each sentence with "I" is suspected of being an exhibitionist.

There is glamor, glamor everywhere, and the nice part about it is that it comes apart at the seams by the middle of the evening like a wedding cake left in the rain.

A cocktail party is just the adult's harmless way of trying to recapture childhood's lost land of make-believe. Nothing said at one is ever taken seriously—that's part of the game—and when it's time to go all the marvelous people who ordinarily wouldn't give each other the time even if clocks were free, say: "Now you call me tomorrow."

And they add under their breath: "If I thought you really would, I'd have the telephone taken out tonight."

Everybody goes home consoled by the knowledge they won't have to see each other again—until the next cocktail party.

LEADER DIES

By The Associated Press

SUMMIT, N. J. Dec. 15—General Edward J. Higgins, 83, third international leader of the Salvation Army, died here yesterday.

RAPS SUGAR COST. Testifying before the Senate Appropriations Committee in Washington, Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy (R-Wis.) is shown (above) as he charged the Army was guilty of "direct violation of the law" in buying one billion pounds of sugar at $10,000,000 above market level. A special assistant to Army Secretary Kenneth Royall, Tracy Voorhees, told the Senators that no cheaper sugar, which is to be used in occupied areas, was available when the purchase was made.

BURNED-OUT POTTERY TO BE BACK SOON

By The Associated Press

SCIO, O., Dec. 15—Lou Reese says by the first of the year they'll be making white dishes again at the fire-ravaged Scio-Ohio Pottery Co.—probably at 50 per cent of capacity.

And to have Reese say that makes Christmas season brighter for some 1,300 residents of this Harrison county town where the pottery factory is the lone industry.

Reese sketched future plans for restoring the plant which was hit by a fire that caused an uninsured loss of about $2,000,000 last Thursday.

About 1,200 persons in a mass meeting in the high school gym Saturday night listened, attentive and applauding, to the man who came here in 1932 to build an abandoned and dilapidated pottery factory into a $3,000,000 business.

But before the pottery owner started dealing with things to come he paid a $72,881 pay roll due that day.

Then he told employes not yet assigned to salvage work to take other work, but to be ready soon to return to jobs he guaranteed to provide.

Most of the audience brought money and bank books in anticipation of an appeal for funds, but Reese said he had funds enough for the reconstruction.

The fire, Reese added, prevented him from distributing a bonus at this year's Christmas party. (He attracted national attention last December by giving out $705,286 to about 800 employes, and reports were that about $400,000 was to have been given out this year.)

Before his audience left, he continued, they would receive the favors he had intended to give at the Christmas party — leather purses and key-containers for the women, and leather wallets for the men.

HELD AS WHITE SLAVER

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 15—Albert M. Welch, 32, today was being held for action by the U. S. district court at Cincinnati on charges of transporting his wife from Ironton, O., to Ashland, Ky., for immoral purposes. He was arrested in Columbus as a result of a grand jury probe of alleged white slavery activities at Ironton, O. U. S. Commissioner Robert W. Newlon set bond at $10,000 Saturday.

The United States has about 26 million dairy cows.

EXPECT VOLUNTARY STEEL ALLOCATION

No Government Control Likely, Trade Magazine Says.

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Indications are that congress will not grant the administration broad allocation authority over steel distribution, the magazine Steel reported today.

The trade publication noted, however, that some form of voluntary allocation is expected to come out of present discussions in Washington.

"Meanwhile, with the administration pressing for at least limited controls, the steel producers are increasing efforts to become current with their commitments," the magazine said. "Attainment of balance would permit prompt and effective handling on a voluntary basis of tonnage requirements regarded essential by governmental authorities.

Reporting on a special survey which it conducted, Steel said the pig iron shortage is so serious that less than 20 per cent of the nation's foundries now are receiving adequate tonnage.

"The unemployment already being caused by this situation is becoming a serious problem, and increasing layoffs are predicted for the future," the journal added.

"The shortage of iron is creating a shortage of castings, causing a chain reaction in a large number of manufacturing plants which use castings in the make-up of their products."

A new peacetime peak of 1,710,000 tons was reached in steel production last week, the highest figure since the week ended May 19, 1945. Production was scheduled at fractionally over 97.5 per cent.

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"We Disaffiliate"

LIKE a baseball player who is hard to pitch to, John L. Lewis frequently takes a walk. Or to put the matter in another baseball simile, he is like the mon who picks up his glove and goes home when the game isn't played his way.

Lewis' United Mine Workers have been affiliated twice with the AFL and once with the CIO, in addition to periods of "disaffiliation." Now the union has returned to its status of isolation because of Lewis' policy on the Taft-Hartley act. While other union leaders lay plans to nullify it in the courts or at the ballot box, Lewis proceeds on the theory that if it is ignored it will go away. By refusing to sign the non-Communist affidavit, he has cut the UMW off from recourse to the NLRB. He has wrangled with the top commands of both of the AFL and the CIO and has sulked when rebuffed.

Lewis never has been a team player. He gives the back of his hand to all who disagree with him. He never has conceded an important error in his life and probably never will. If all union leaders were like him there would be no federations of unions. If all men were like him there would be no unions.

White Man's Burden, '47 Model

INDICATIVE of the way the world wags was the appearance of a West African tribesman before the United Nations trusteeship council to make a plea for his people. His name is Sylvanu E. Olympio. He wore a conservative blue suit. He donned horn-rimmed glasses to read his speech which he carried in a briefcase. He spoke English and French fluently.

The basis of his plea was that his people, known as the Ewes, be brought under a common flag. At present the 1,000,000 Ewe tribesmen are divided between British and French territories and are brought up behind trade barriers under different ways of life. He doesn't ask independence for the Ewes, but simply that they no longer be treated as chattels.

Among the millions of this earth whom civilization has lightly touched, there are squalor, disease and misgovernment. There also is a growing awareness of the fundamental rights vouchsafed free men. Kipling died only 11 years ago, but sometimes it seems like 111.

Consider the Source

INSTEAD of gingerly skirting the subject of slavery, the Russians have brought it up at the Geneva conference of the UN commission on human rights. Of course, the United States is charged with "condoning slavery".

Eleanor Roosevelt, leader of the United States delegation, has drafted a definition of what the western world means by freedom. It means freedom of conscience, religion and belief; it means liberty to emigrate and seek asylum from persecution; it means no one shall be held in involuntary servitude or subjected to arbitrary arrest or detention. Mrs. Roosevelt concedes not all groups in the United States have all the civic rights to which they are entitled, but progress is being made—and has been made since Lincoln's day.

Russia qualifies on no count under that definition. It maintains a huge army of "politically unreliable" for manual labor. It holds thousands of war prisoners, with no date set for their release. No Russian enjoys freedom to emigrate or express an opinion unless it is favorable to the state.

The Russians' familiar tactic of raising a clamor to cover their own deficiencies has lost much of its impact. In evaluating Russian statements, claims and accusations, the western world knows it must consider the source.

Anyone See a Billion?

THE treasury department is trying to find out what veterans did with that billion dollars they received for terminal leave bonds. Government economists supposed such a sum would make a big splash in the nation's economic pool, but it sank with scarcely a ripple. Retail sales were up slightly, but only in line with the continuing pattern since January.

A spot check of individuals instead of charts would show where that billion went. It paid back rent, hospital bills, payments on houses, and maybe a few stray dollars here and there found their way into bank accounts.

High School a Necessity

THE National child labor committee reports that employed young people between 14 and 17 totaled 1,970,000 in April, compared with 630,000 in April, 1940. This is a substantial drop from the record 3,000,000 at work in April, 1945, but it indicates the average will remain well above the 1940 figure. In view of the huge college enrollment these days, the figure is anomalous and disturbing.

Now more than ever before a high school education is essential for a satisfactory life. The acquisition of skills and the enjoyment of leisure are dependent upon adequate education—and no less than a high school education can possible meet today's requirements.

In 1946, the death rate in France was the lowest in the history of the country.

In the 13th Century, Venice was the business center of the world.

Scanning the Record

By George E. Sokolsky

Where's the Crisis?

THE Truman administration has accepted the Henry Wallace formula that a crisis is inevitable and that therefore the United States must talk its way into one. Wallace started that line of conversation almost immediately after the war, actually specifying the time and nature of the crisis. On Nov. 29, 1945, Henry Wallace predicted 7,000,000 unemployed in 1946. This did not occur then and it has not occurred yet. Many New Deal economists have been predicting a crisis as inevitable since Wallace started that gag and the Communists have a "boom or bust" line which they use in all their propaganda against the United States throughout the world. But the crisis does not come.

SOKOLSKY

As a matter of fact, the Luckman dramatization, which has failed so miserably, was the first signal that the Truman administration had adopted as its political measure the Wallace concept of the inevitable crisis. The directing genius of the Luckman effort was Abe Fortas, who is one of the extremely smart young men of the New Deal. Fortas was graduated from Yale Law school in 1933, joined the legal division of the AAA that same year and remained in one job or another of the government until Truman took over. He reappeared in what is euphemistically called a citizens committee—that is, the Luckman dramatization—as counsel.

Evidence Lacking

The whole point of Luckman activity was that a crisis had come to American agriculture resulting in a grain shortage. His one success was to shut down American distilleries so that European and Canadian distilleries could export more liquor to the United States. But no evidence produced by his committee or by Secretary of Agriculture Anderson proves that there is a grain shortage in the United States. True, there is an apparent grain dislocation in the world, but that dislocation does not involve the United States in a crisis unless this country attempts to feed the world. As that cannot be done under any circumstances, any program to do it would lead to a crisis. In a word, there is no agricultural crisis, but the government can make one.

Meanwhile, subsidies for agricultural and other products have risen until they will amount to $15,200,000,000 by June 30, 1948, for the period beginning in 1934. This fiscal year such subsidies will amount to $1,100,000,000 for farmers alone.

The Steel Situation

Having stirred up the fear that there is a crisis in agriculture, the administration seeks to give the impression that there is a critical shortage in steel. Steel production is running at about 97.7 capacity, roughly 1,700 tons a week. There is no steel crisis in the United States, but if the government intends to send American-made steel products to all countries in huge quantities, it is more than this country can do and there must be a steel crisis. In a word, there is no steel crisis in this country now and no actual shortage of steel, but the government is making a crisis by excess exports.

True, the purchasing power of the American dollar is down and there is an excess of money in circulation. It was Harry Truman, again basing himself on Wallace statistics and conclusions—confusion, if you prefer — who started the inflation by proposing increased wages on the assumption that wages could be raised while prices would remain stationary. This was in 1945. Of course, this did not happen. Wages went up; prices went up. There have been two major wage increases and they were accompanied by price increases. Meanwhile, money in circulation increased from about $5,000,000,000 in 1933 to $28,000,000,000 in 1947. The total bank deposits and currency outside banks rose from about $42,000,000,000 in 1933 to about $170,000,000,000 in 1947. The money supply increased about $3,000,000,000 between May and September.

Government Responsible

During all those years the government was in control of the economy of the country and possessed ample legal measures to curtail the volume of circulation of currency. If we face a money crisis, it is of the government's making. Actually, there is no crisis in sight, except that politicians seem to want to create the impression that there is one around the corner for whatever dubious advantage they can get out of fear.

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Just a Minute

By Jack Tarver

A Chance To Get Rid of the Ties That Blind

The mayor of Grand Rapids has launched a nationwide Neckties *for Europe Collection Campaign.*

And just in time for the after-Christmas rush.

Is that for European or brother-in-law relief?

The mayor doubtless means well, but I can think of a lot of ways to demonstrate our regard for Europe besides lend-leasing a lot of cast-off neckties. In fact, some of the numbers which would be contributed might well be construed acts of aggression.

What manner of people would we be who, when asked for bread, responded with a fore-in-hand?

Nope, I think we had better continue disposing of our neckties in the traditional way, by giving them to the yard-man. At least, it doesn't create an international incident when he breaks off diplomatic relations.

Cold War Goes Bad for Soviets

By Walter Lippmann

LATE last week the house received a report from its committee on foreign affairs which said "the Communists hope of early victory in western Europe through legal democratic politics is dead for years to come," and that unless the Communists can succeed in "a violent strike for power in France and Italy, then for the time being the limits of Communist expansion after World War II have been set for the Western World."

The events in France have confirmed this conclusion, and while there is still uncertainty about Italy, the indications are that it will also be confirmed there.

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The question then is whether "a violent strike for power"—which has not yet been attempted — could succeed if it were attempted.

The answer is, I believe, that the local Communists can not seize power against the majority of the people unless the national forces—the police and the army—have first been disposed of.

They must either have subverted the police and the army, which obviously they have not done in France and probably not in Italy either, or they must have the support of foreign troops to crush the national resistance.

That is to say: if the Red army can not cross Germany and enter France, the local Communists can not seize power by violence, and may not, since they know what the result would be, attempt such a suicidal adventure.

And if Tito's army can not enter northern Italy, a swift and successful seizure of power is in the highest degree improbable. Barring his open intervention, the worst that is to be feared in Italy is civil strife of a guerilla kind supported by infiltration and the smuggling of contraband from Yugoslavia.

But this would be met, of course, by energetic support of the Italian government in the form not only of release from the disarmament clauses of the peace treaty, and the supply of arms but also by direct diplomatic action, backed by Allied power, in Belgrade and in Moscow.

Russia Loses

If the estimate of the house committee on foreign affairs is correct, then Russia has lost the cold war in western Europe. That is to say, it can not dominate western Europe by waging the cold war.

To dominate western Europe it must invade western Europe, and must fight not a cold war but a real war.

That is where we come into the picture. Why is it that the Red army can not cross Germany and invade France in order to support the French Communists?

Not because Gen. Clay's four divisions can stop the Red army. Not because we could land enough troops in France quickly enough to stop the Red army at the French frontiers.

But because the Kremlin knows that if it overwhelmed our troops in Germany and invaded France, which it could almost certainly do, our reply would be the kind of war which we waged against Japan after it overwhelmed Bataan and overran a large part of China and of southeast Asia.

We should no more seek a decision in France, in Germany, in Trieste, in Greece than we sought a decision in China or the Netherlands Indies. We should seek it in Moscow, in the Ukraine, in the Caucasus — in the heart which is vulnerable to our particular kind of military power, whereas the heart of America is at present, and will be for the duration of this diplomatic struggle, invulnerable.

These are the strategical conditions which enable us, as long as we maintain our power and manage it wisely, to say with confidence that Russian Communism can extend no further, and that eventually it will have to recede.

Conform To Position

But our diplomacy must conform to our strategical position. For if it does not, we shall get into trouble.

An example of how by misunderstanding our position we could get into trouble was provided last week by Representative John Lodge of Connecticut. Lodge implored the President to disregard the Italian peace treaty for the purpose of protecting Italy against the Russians and the Yugoslavs.

Though Lodge's intentions are no doubt of the best, his practical advice is not. For our handful of troops in Italy do not protect Italy. What protects Italy is the total power of the United States and its allies.

To have kept the troops there in violation of the treaty would not have strengthened the Italian government but would, on the contrary, have weakened it. It

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The Simpler Way

From News of Other Years

TEN YEARS AGO

It was Wednesday, Dec. 15, 1937.

The state legislature turned its attention to enactment of a "permanent" relief program and the supplemental budget, after approving stop-gap measures providing $4,000,000 to $6,000,000 for immediate financing.

Forty women attended a buffet dinner party held by the Elks Women's club in the lodge hall. Arrangements were in charge of a committee composed of Mrs. M. H. Gunder, Mrs. E. H. Gunder and Mrs. Walter Hughes and the social chairman, Mrs. M. D. Porter. Awards in cards were won by Mrs. Henry Stauffer, Mrs. Paul Saltz and Harold Schultz.

The Co. D, 166th Infantry basketball squad annexed its fifth consecutive victory by handing Marion Merchants a 30 to 18 walloping on the Steam Shovel court. Perrin, forward, took the top spot on Co. D's high scoring activity, registering four field goals and two throws for a 10-point total. The Co. D team included Ferrin, R. Greene, G. Greene, Self, F. Greene and Hart, while the Merchants' lineup included Reid, Owens, Tierny, Tuttle, McAninch and Creasap.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Douce, who had been married only recently, were given a miscellaneous shower at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Douce of northeast of Claridon.

Dr. Frederick C. Smith was sworn into office for his second term as mayor of Marion by Common Pleas Judge Hector S. Young. Baliff Joseph M. Justice was the only other person present.

TWENTY YEARS AGO

It was Thursday, Dec. 15, 1927.

Announcement was made that the bodies of President and Mrs. Warren G. Harding would be interred in their final resting place at the memorial tomb on Wednesday, Dec. 21. The bodies had been in the vault at the Marion cemetery.

Fire of undetermined cause starting in the boiler room destroyed the auxiliary power station and car barns of the C., D. & M. Electric Co. at Stratford, resulting in a loss estimated at $500,000.

An O. W. U. economics expert estimated that a good Christmas dinner with turkey for a family five would cost about $9.30.

B. R. Prichard was elected chairman of the Marion county chapter of the Red Cross.

G. Farr Larie was elected president of the Kiwanis club to succeed Dr. F. A. Stengel, who served throughout 1927.

Mrs. Lillian Welch of Nevada was a visitor at the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Miller of South Prospect street.

Members of the Jolly Ten club and their husbands and families held a Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Finley of Oak Grove avenue.

The Strategic Partnership

By Joseph Alsop

LONDON, Dec. 15—In tracing the development of the Anglo-American relationship since the end of the war, the role of Lieutenant General Curtis E. LeMay is not the least interesting problem to consider. The tough, hard-faced young general, who brandishes a cigar like a club, now has his headquarters in the small German city of Wiesbaden. From Wiesbaden, although Britain in 1947 is certainly no holiday resort, he makes fairly frequent trips to London. Here is a mystery, which must afflict the chiefs of the Soviet intelligence services like a throbbing tooth, and should interest any one who wishes to understand British or American policy.

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General LeMay, after all, is probably the greatest younger fighting leader who emerged in the American air forces in the second World War. He contributed vitally to the tactics of our heavy bombardment of Germany. He led the crushing grand assault against Japan. He commanded the 20th Air Force when the bombs were dropped on Hiroshima and Nagasaki. And now he has been plucked from the key post of director of air research and set down at Wiesbaden in command of the pitifully small American air forces in Germany, succeeding an officer of lesser rank. Why has this extraordinary thing been done?

It does not take a very powerful mind to guess the answer. General LeMay is engaged in on-the-spot tactical and strategic planning, of the if, as and when kind that may never bear fruit, but is none the less essential to preparedness. As his trips to London clearly indicate, he is working fairly closely with the British air staff and, one suspects, with the imperial general staff as a whole.

Sort of a Check

At the same time, despite the smallness of the forces under LeMay's command, his mere presence in Germany is no doubt also intended to serve as a mild deterrent to Soviet military planners with an inclination to be too venturesome.

There is nothing official about the foregoing speculations, and the conclusions are likely to be vociferously denied. Yet the betting is approximately 9 to 1 that these conclusions are correct. Furthermore, they are entirely in accord with the other known facts about the military-strategic aspect of the Anglo-American relationship. As to this, there is no need to speculate. It can be stated on the highest possible authority that the wartime frankness and intimacy, the close wartime partnership, between British and American strategists and planners has now been revived in these times of peace that is not peace.

Behind this state of affairs, there is a curious and important history. Not very long after V-J day, when the British were prime targets of the Soviets' political and propagandistic drive, London formally proposed placing the Anglo-American combined chiefs of staff—the formal link in the Anglo-American strategic partnership—on a permanent peace-time basis. It was an old idea of Winston Churchill's, which he had both sold to the cabinet and discussed in public. The Truman administration, then bemused by the great, phony "back to normalcy" campaign in the United States, reacted to London's overture like a nervous sea anemone being poked with a sharp stick.

Target Shifted

Officially, the combined chiefs were then only kept in being because certain areas of combined military interest, such as Italy, were still garrisoned by considerable Anglo-American forces. After about a year, however, these forces were reduced materially; the target of the main Soviet attack shifted to the United States; and the British government became alarmed by its own left wing's constant agitation. London, in turn, now indicated to Washington that since there was no desire to maintain the combined chiefs on a permanent basis, the agency might as well be liquidated at once. In the interval, fortunately, the administration in Washington learned about a few of the hard facts of the post-war world. Washington was horrified by London's new proposal. Where the pleading had emanated from London the year previous, it was now from the other end of the cable wire that the pleading came.

Washington's pleas were successful. The combined chiefs again survived this new danger in their rather Perils of Pauline-like peacetime history. They are now, unofficially but in fact, on almost the kind of permanent basis which Churchill envisioned. As is suggested by the presence of General LeMay at Wiesbaden, the combined chiefs by no means carry the whole burden of Anglo-American strategic liaison. There has also been a good deal of what one highly placed military leader oddly, on the side, described to this correspondent as "healthy hanky-panky" through other channels. But the pattern of the Anglo-American partnership is far less important than the fact of the partnership's existence. What matters is that in the field of strategy, Britain and the United States are collaborating with the closest intimacy.

Daily Bible Thought

If we speak the truth we need not emphasize nor embroider it. Truth needs no re-enforcement.—Matt. 5:37: "Let your speech be yea, yea, nay, nay.

CROSSTOWN By Roland Coe

"I hope all these high prices haven't reached the North Pole!"

The Once Over

By H. I. Phillips

The Broadway First Night Reclassification

New York theater producers are dividing the first nighters into a "pro" and "semi-pro" classification. And cutting some of the "pros" from the first-night audiences on the ground they create a hardboiled, deadpan and "show me" mood that makes the showhouse less a theater than a deep freeze unit.

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A "pro" is a fellow who has seen so much he can think of little that will please him. He is in the view of the producers, a sufferer from hardening of the good will. He brings his headache with him and would regard checking it at the gate as an imposition.

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He comes to the best, hoping for the worst. His guiding thought is contained in the classic lines: "Even if it was good I wouldn't like it."

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A "semi-pro" is a "pro" who has had less experience being openly bored. He can applaud without losing face. He doesn't mind smiling even if caught at it by friends.

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Then there is the amateur. The amateur is a regular patron who pays for his entertainment and, if stuck with it, can squawk only to his intimates. He is used to gambling. If he loses he can't say "You can't do this to me" in any newspaper. He knows he has no defensive weapon.

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He regards theatergoing as part lark, part adventure, part entertainment and part slot machine. And he can always console himself with the thought it would have been worse staying at home.

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He likes the pre-theater dinner, the taxi ride, the struggle for tickets and the parade down the wrong isle. He even reads the program ads. He never works up a belief that the producer and author are taking advantage of him. He doesn't worry all through the first intermission for fear the last two acts will be so good they will kill the wisecrack he thought up to describe the slow first act.

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But we think, despite all this, that the Broadway showmen are displaying thin skins, unequaled pettiness and unprecedented disregard for good public relations work in taking a poke at the "pros." The producers have suffered enough in the last decade by a brand of press agentry which would have made old-time showmen turn over in their mummy-cases.

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A new type of press agent, the boy who recognizes nobody he hasn't seen in the night clubs, builds up himself instead of his employer and promotes the idea that a producer is a miser in spades and a Scrooge in "Annie Oakleys."

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Can you imagine the producer of yesterday cutting down first-night tickets grading newspaper men or showing any discrimination whatever? His publicity staff would have killed the idea in the egg.

The Real News Newsreel

We thought it hard to keep Jimmy Durante from being funny but a way has been found by the authors of "This Time for Keeps."...Monsignor Fulton J. Sheen is author of a book for the children, "Jesus, Son of Mary."...Rafaello Busoni illustrates...The Christmas Seal campaign should be helped by the publication of statistics showing the White Plague still kills 55,000 Americans a year....Otis Chatfield Taylor says you can't change Truman nature...Definition for W. W.—A Communist is a man who will take a mink coat for giving the best definition of a Communist, and then denounce milks...."The Candid Mike" is one of the funniest air programs, a recent dialogue with a crooked wrestler being a howl....Robert Ruark has a vest-splitting book in "Grenadine Etching"...We have an idea for a skit in which Molotov keeping the other Big Four members in a state of suspense by staying in an anteroom for three hours, is revealed to be blowing bubble gum.

TRUE TO FORM

The I.C.C., the I.C.C.—
It bleeds for the railroads but never for me.

Senator Taft predicts meat rationing by spring but favors it on the British system limiting meat to so many dollars worth a week instead of specifying points. By springtime one should be able to pick up a nice little ounce of hamburger for a couple of dollars.

Palestine Landmarks

In the partitioning of Palestine voted by the United Nations, where do the Bible shrines and landmarks fall?

Galilee and Phoenicia in the north, Samaria and Judea in the center, and Philistia and Edom in the south were the large divisions of the Holy Land 2,000 years ago, says the National Geographic Society. Current partition parcels bear little relation to these ancient areas.

The projected international zone in the hills of Judea includes Jerusalem, city of 157,000 people, and a surrounding area reaching eastward to the Mount of Olives and south to Bethlehem. The town of Christ's birth is now an Arab community of 9,000.

Within this trusted zone are many shrines of three great religions. Among the most sacred are the Wailing Wall of the Jews, the Moslems Mosque of Omar, and the Church of the Holy Sepulchre of the Christians.

Calvary, Solomon's Temple, Mt. Zion, Gethsemane, Bethany, Job's Well, the Valleys of Hinnon and Jehosophat, the Pools of Bethesda and Siloam have their sites in the zone, some outside and some within modern Jerusalem.

The Holy Land of the Old Testament ranged "from Dan even to Beersheba." The site of Dan close to the source of the Jordan River, is in the northeasternmost tip of modern Palestine. Capernaum and Bethsaida, on the shores of the Sea of Galilee, were also in this region of eastern Galilee, now assigned to the proposed Jewish state.

Beersheba today is an Arab town 45 miles southwest of Jerusalem. Center of the Edom district of Bible times, its position is far north in Palestine's big southern triangle of desert land. Most of this southern desert is apportioned to the Jewish state as a colonization area. It holds the Negeb, where shepherds watched their flocks, and Gath of the Philistines.

Third sector of the Jewish state is the fertile coastal plain from south of Jaffa to north of Haifa. Under British mandate, Jewish immigrants have developed scores of communities in this Mediterranean region, including Tel Aviv, modern city of 174,000 Jews. Biblically, the sector consists of the Plain of Sharon, Mt. Carmel, and the Plain of Esdraelon, site of prophetic Armageddon. Jaffa itself is made an Arab enclave.

The northernmost sector assigned to the Arabs, in fertile western Galilee and Phoenicia, contains Nazareth, which was Christ's home; Tarshish, and the site of Cana. The southern Arab patch borders the Mediterranean coast of Egypt, and contains Gaza, Ashkelon and Ashdod, homes of Philistine enemies. Herod was born in Ashkelon. Samson pulled the temple down in Gaza.

The largest Arab section surrounds the Jerusalem zone and covers most of the hill country of Samaria and Judea. Tirzah, Shiloh, Shechem, Mt. Ephriam, Gibeah, Jericho, Hebron, Zion and the Wilderness of Judah are among familiar Bible names. The Jordan River and Dead Sea form its eastern border.

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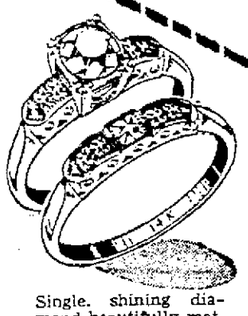

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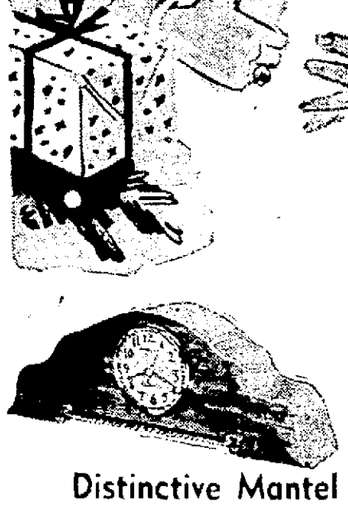

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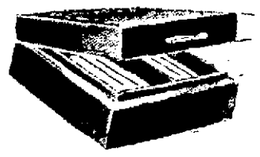

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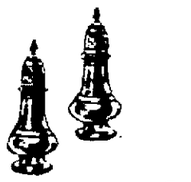

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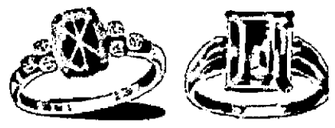

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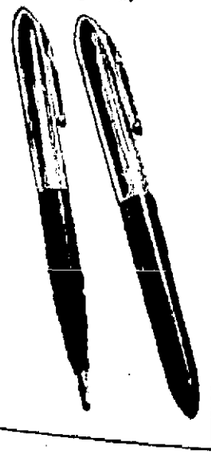

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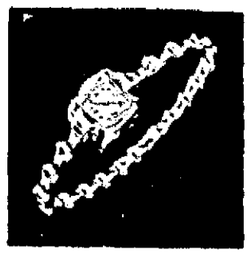

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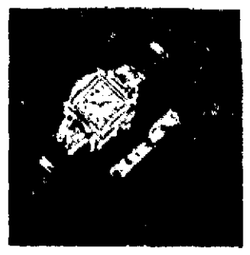

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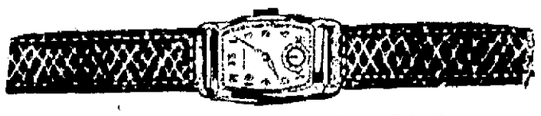

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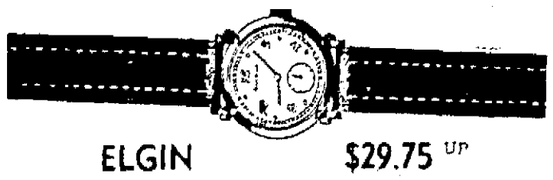

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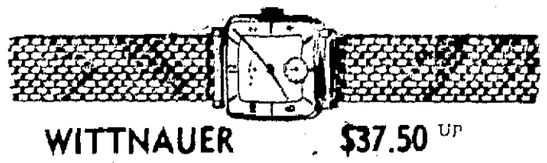

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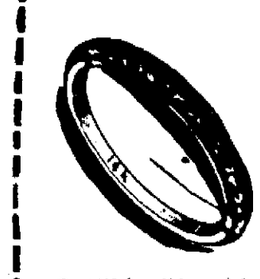

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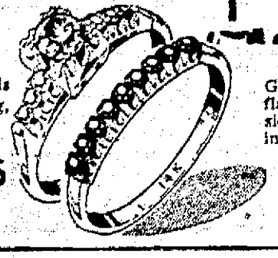

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Social Affairs

TALL red tapers and greenery decorated the tables for the dinner dance held by Alpha chapter, Gradale sorority, Saturday evening at Hotel Harding. Completing the Yuletide setting were holiday motifs throughout the ballroom. Mrs. Don Quaintance was toastmistress and the response to greetings was given by H. E. Webster. Carols were sung by the group and later there was dancing. Covers at dinner were placed for 25 couples. Carrying out a project of the chapter each member brought a white gift for a less fortunate family in the city. Arrangements were in charge of Mrs. Richard Meister, chairman, Mrs. Richard Langdon, Mrs. Don Wertman, Mrs. Willard Henney and Mrs. Clyde Goodyear.

A Christmas exchange party was held Wednesday evening when members of the M.N.O. club met with Mrs. C. E. Alexander of East Center street. Officers for the new year were elected with Mrs. Robert Evans named as president and Mrs. Wayne Rousch as treasurer. Games were played with the award going to Mrs. Wayne Rousch and consolation prize to Mrs. Charles Reid. The Jan. 13th meeting will be with Mrs. Rousch on Spencer street.

Mrs. Herman Wygle was hostess for a meeting of Les Gal Hut club recently at the home of Mrs. Russell Key of 410 East Center street. First and floating awards in cards were won by Mrs. Carroll Winters and a floating and second prizes were won by Mrs. Millard Diehl. Mrs. Fred Harden was consoled. The hostess was presented a gift. Mrs. Key was a guest. A Christmas meeting will be with Mrs. Joel Welch, Dec. 22.

Miss Martha Austin and Mrs. Ethan Temple entertained with a miscellaneous shower Thursday evening at the Austin home on the Richland pike as a pre-nuptial courtesy to Miss Ruth Kibler whose marriage to Jacob Retter will take place Dec. 21. Contest awards were won by Mrs. Lou Roberts and Mrs. William Ross. A poem started the honor guest on a treasure hunt and each gift held another poem directing her to the gift. For refreshment the table was decorated with a miniature church and bride in a winter setting. Pink and white, Miss Kibling's colors, were carried out in the decorations.

Mrs. L. W. Mack of the Chaudau road was hostess for a meeting of the San Souci club Wednesday afternoon. The meeting opened with a Christmas Carol by the group and Mrs. S. F. Wolfinger gave a tribute to Mrs. W. T. Mack whose death occurred recently. Plans were made to have secret sisters during the coming year and to discontinue meetings through June, July and August. A gift exchange was held. Mrs. C. W. Fetter received the contest award. For the program Mrs. John Creasap and Mrs. C. W. Fetter gave readings and Mrs. Martha Gruber gave a poem. Guests were Mrs. W. E. Mautz, Miss Emma Mautz, Mrs. Lizzie Knappenberger, Mrs. Lowell Mack, Shirley and Marie Fett and Gary and Rodney Fairchild. The hostess was assisted in serving a lunch by Mrs. Mack, Mrs. Fett, Miss Mautz and Miss Knappenberger. Appointments were in keeping with the Christmas season.

A Christmas party and gift exchange was held by the Ten Stitchers club Wednesday evening at the Manor House. A miniature snowman and red and white candles carried out a Christmas decorative theme. Secret sisters were revealed in the gift exchange. A covered dish dinner was planned for the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Dale Hopkins of 277 Patten street and at this time officers will be elected and names drawn for secret sisters for 1948.

A Christmas meeting of the Child Research club was held recently at the home of Mrs. Walter Snyder of 317 West Church street. Carols were sung, and rollcall was answered with an unusual Christmas custom or decoration. It was decided to send two representatives to a child training course which will be held here early in January and to donate $5 to the Federated clubs educational fund. Mrs. Elmer Hoffman presented the topic "How We Learn." A special award went to Mrs. Karl Barkley. Guests were Mrs. John Sells and Mrs. Jean Reece of Columbus. For the exchange Linda Snyder acted as Santa Claus, and luncheon was served at a decorated Christmas table.

Mrs. Eileen Alexander and Mrs. Edith Willmeth were hostesses for a meeting of the F.C. club in the Alexander home on Monroe street Thursday afternoon. The Christmas story was read by Mrs. Virginia Mayes. Awards in games went to Mrs. Mona George, Mrs. Bettie Whittington, Mrs. Lillian Monroe, Mrs. Alberta Brothers, Mrs. Grace Whittington, Mrs. Mary Rothenbauder, Mrs. Ardetha Clifton and Mrs. Myrtle Brothers. Special awards went to Mrs. Clifton and Mrs. Juanita Hatch.

Honoring Mrs. Billie Johnston, a recent bride, Mrs. Otis Johnston was hostess for a shower in her home near New Bloomington last week. The wedding colors of silver and white were carried out in the decorations, and the bride was presented her gifts from a decorated wagon drawn into the room by a grand niece of the hostess, Janice McClasky. Contests were won by Mrs. William Metz, Mrs. Robert Carpenter, Miss Jeanette Behner and Mrs. Damon Carey. Mrs. Albert and Mrs. Carey assisted in serving the 25 guests.

Mrs. Kenneth Davis of Richwood was complimented recently with a personal shower when Mrs. James A. Stoner entertained in her home at 418½ Oak street. The honor guest found her gifts on a table covered with white and centered with a stork. A social hour included contests with prizes won by Miss Opal Schmidt and Mrs. Harold Price of Columbus. Present also were Mrs. Ernest Blue, Mrs. Charles McPherson and Mrs. Samuel Lauer Jr. all of Prospect, Miss Loma Lauer of Columbus and Mrs. Leonard Ahmay.

Members of the Pastime club held a 6 o'clock dinner and Christmas gift exchange Thursday evening at Greenwood Inn. A handkerchief shower was held for Mrs. Omer Williams, in honor of her birthday anniversary. The evening was spent socially with games and contests with prizes going to Mrs. Harold Garlach and Mrs. Lenora Bradley.

Favorite Christmas carols were given in response to roll call by members of the Never Fail club when they met for their annual Christmas party and potluck dinner Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Cecil Kreis on the Campbell road. Mrs. Hazel Uncapher presided and Mrs. Vena Ruth conducted devotions by reading a religious story. Mrs. Iris Pfeiffer was in charge of the program which consisted of Christmas music played by Mrs. Lena Bricker, solo by Mrs. Lucile Uncapher, recitation, "A Christmas Story" by Mrs. Mabel Schaber, and a Christmas contest won by Mrs. Mildred Tarbill. Guests were Mrs. Francis Warner, Mrs. Evelyn Campbell, Mrs. Nora Hughes, Mrs. Mary Martin, Mrs. Ida McNeal, Mrs. Fern Martin and Mrs. Bertha Bentley. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Vena Long on the Green Camp pike.

Mrs. Howard Gearhiser was hostess when the Wit and Wisdom club met Tuesday evening for their annual Christmas dinner at her home near Waldo. Mrs. Forest Smith served as assistant hostess. Decorations were in keeping with the yuletide season.

Mrs. Ralph Gerfen, program chairman, gave a paper on "Christmas Carols," devotions were led by Mrs. W. R. Bogart, two Christmas poems were by Mrs. Harry Shultz, and group singing of Christmas carols followed. Guessing boxes were won by Mrs. C. N. Briggs and Mrs. Shultz, and secret sisters were revealed in a gift exchange. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Briggs in Marion.

The M.N.O. Bridge club was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Forest Smith in Waldo. Honors in cards went to Mrs. Raymond Burnoskey, Mrs. Frank Furniss and Mrs. Victor Wick, and a gift exchange was held. The next meeting will be Jan. 6 at the home of Mrs. Arthur Wick in Waldo.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fitzsimmons of Oakland, Calif., will spend the holidays with the latter's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Gale of Mt. Gilead.

ROYAL STYLE NOTE. Stylists who keep an eye on royalty may soon be making copies of this ensemble worn by Princess Margaret Rose of England, shown on her way to a theater in London. She's wearing a hat, coat and muff trimmed with beaver. Ribbon tied in a bow is wrapped around the muff.

Weddings

Announcement is being made here of the marriage of Miss Mabel Ward of Huntington, W. Va., to Arthur Ferriman of this city. The ceremony was read Wednesday, Dec. 3, at 6.30 o'clock in the evening in the parsonage of the Methodist church in Greenup, Ky., by the pastor, Rev. Allen. Present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ferriman, Miss Wanda Wachenschwan, Lewis Holtry and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Massie.

The bride chose for her wedding a blue dress with which she combined matching accessories. Her corsage was of red rosebuds.

Mrs. Ferriman is employed at Stone's Grill, and Mr. Ferriman is employed at the Marion Power Shovel Co. plant. For the present, the couple are making their home at 357 Chestnut street.

1948 BUSINESS VIEW CLOUDED

Inflation Threat Makes Forecasts Difficult, Bank Reports.

By The United Press

CLEVELAND, O., Dec 15 — Continued business expansion in 1947 disproved dire predictions of some economists, but forecasts for the coming economic year are made even more difficult by the growing threat of inflation, the Cleveland Trust Co. monthly Business Bulletin said today.

Strong demand and a large purchasing power will carry business along at a brisk pace for the next several months, the bank report said, but "beyond that the picture is uncertain."

The monthly survey admitted that this country is "undergoing a pronounced inflation of commodity prices," but it is hoped that the nation could avoid "certain excesses which characterized past inflationary booms."

Danger Spots

Inflation danger spots were listed by the Bulletin as unwarranted increases in wages and prices, overexpansion of inventories, unwise credit extension, a speculative spree and an unbalanced national budget.

The bank survey said that "non-appearance of such trouble spots in the future would mean less painful readjustments during the period of reaction which always follows an era of inflation."

The Bulletin failed to predict when and how the inflation threat was to be halted. The report said only that "all great price inflations are built and fed by the creation of an excess of money supply over goods and this one is no exception.

"It is not clear as to when or how the process will come to a halt, although we can readily see that its continuation adds to the difficulties and distortions of our economy."

Dividend Outlook

The Cleveland Trust said stockholders' dividends for the year will reach a record high, but added that the amount of dividends lagged far behind wages and salaries paid by corporations, or the gross volume of business done by corporations as measured by their sales.

The Bulletin disclosed that dividend increases in 1947 over the 1935-39 annual average will probably be only about 65 per cent. "By contrast," it continued, "the gain in corporate sales for 1947 is about 170 per cent over 1935-39, and the increase in wage and salary payments by corporations is approximately 214 per cent.

Stockholders will receive a little less than two cents on a dollar, the Trust company predicted, although during the 12 years from 1929 through 1940, they received in dividends 3.23 cents on each dollar of sales.

New Type Photography Lamps Reduce Heat

By The Associated Press

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 15—Development of a new cadmium-mercury lamp designed to simplify studio heat was described today by Eugene W. Beggs, engineer of the Westinghouse Electric Corp.

In an address prepared for delivery before the Pittsburgh section of the Illuminating Engineering Society, Beggs said results attained with the lamp in initial Hollywood tests were "very promising."

Beggs said high intensity mercury vapor lamp developed by Westinghouse provided the most brilliant long-burning light known. However, initial tests showed its deficiency in red hues made it unsuitable for color movies.

This was overcome, he said, by adding a pinch of metallic cadmium to the mercury in the quartz inner bulb. He added that new lamps of higher wattages than the 1,000-watt type used in the studio tests now are being developed by Westinghouse.

O.S.U. TEAM WINS

By The Associated Press

JACKSON, Miss., Dec. 15—Ohio State university's three-man team of Wilbur Justi, Neal Hensen and Neal Richardson captured the collegiate section of the National Junior Vegetable Growers association's annual judging contest here over the weekend. Norman Oebker and Edward Borer, of Avon, O., and Dean Christian, of Cleveland, were second in the Snyder trophy contest.

CLOTHING FOR HOLLY. Marilyn Goodell (left) and Vera Feathergill, Champaign High school students, mail a number of parcels from Champaign, Ill., containing used clothing to Verlin Leddington of Asher, Ky., in exchange for "hollies, ferns and pines" to decorate the Champaign High school. James Stompf is the clerk. The Kentucky girl's offer to trade the Yuletide decorations for used clothes resulted in clothing gifts for the entire town of Asher.

2 Ohio Ordnance Plant Sales Set

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Two Ohio ordnance works and another across the Ohio river at Point Pleasant, W. Va., today were placed on sale by the war assets administration.

The WAA called for bids on the Plum Brook Ordnance Works at Sandusky, the Lake Ontario Ordnance Works at Youngstown; the West Virginia Ordnance Works at Point Pleasant, and seven other surplus plants. Originally, the 10 cost the government $500,000,000.

Bids for the West Virginia and Plum Brook Works must be received by Jan 23. Deadline for bids on the Youngstown plant is March 5.

Lone Gunman Robs Train Passengers

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—A Negro gunman single-handedly robbed the passengers in two cars of a New York Central passenger train of jewelry and an undetermined amount of cash between a suburban station and the downtown terminal Saturday night.

Judge Roger Kiley of the Illinois appellate court, one of several judges and lawyers among the victims, estimated the cash loot at $350. He said several watches and rings were taken from passengers in the rear car.

FORMER SENATOR DIES

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Arthur Walsh, 51, executive vice president of Thomas E. Edison, Inc., and former Democratic U. S. Senator from New Jersey, died here yesterday.

HEADS Y.M.C.A. BOARD

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 15—E. C. Kohnle of Dayton was elected chairman of the Ohio-West Virginia Y.M.C.A. board of directors yesterday. He succeeds J. C. Donnell, II, of Findlay.

Ohio Gasoline Dealers Want Price Protection

By The Associated Press

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 15—The Ohio Gasoline Dealers association today planned to lobby for legislation prohibiting the sale of petroleum products below cost-plus operating expenses at service stations.

Association trustees adopted a resolution yesterday urging adoption of local and state legislation that would prohibit sale of petroleum products below cost-plus operating expenses.

"Experienced service station operators are failing and quitting business because of inadequate profit margins," the trustees said.

Shipment of freight on railroads cost less than a ton mile, on the average, a reduction of 25 per cent since 1921.

SILVER ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Riester of 436 Ballentine avenue celebrated their silver wedding anniversary Thursday with a family dinner followed by open house. The table, bearing a huge cake, was decorated with lighted tapers. A number of gifts were received by the celebrants.

CARDINGTON MAN FINED

Darrel Staley, 27, of near Cardington pleaded guilty when charged with failing to register a trailer and was fined $5 and costs by Mayor E. R. Tilton of Ashley. He was arrested by state patrolmen on route 42 at 4 p. m. Friday.

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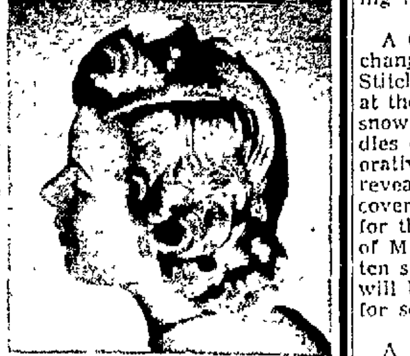

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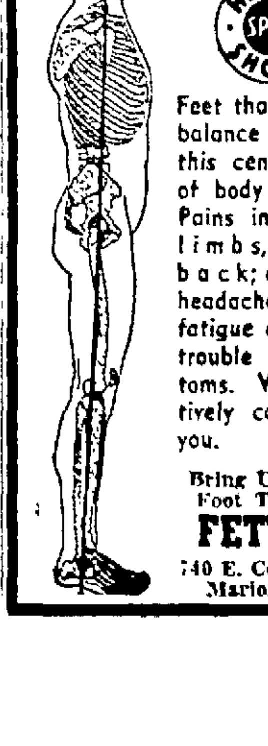

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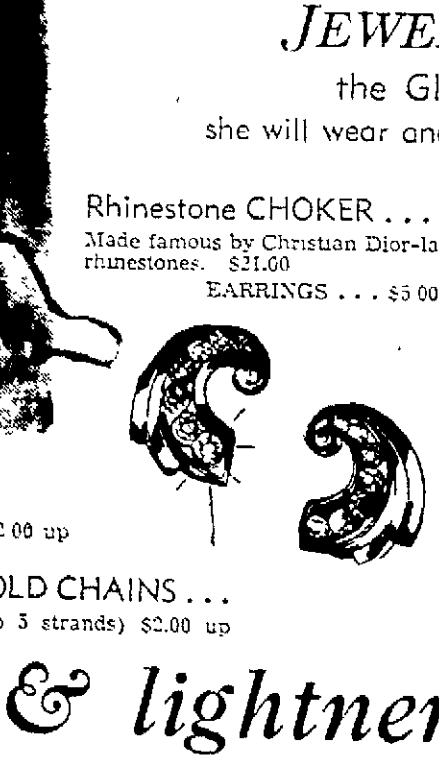

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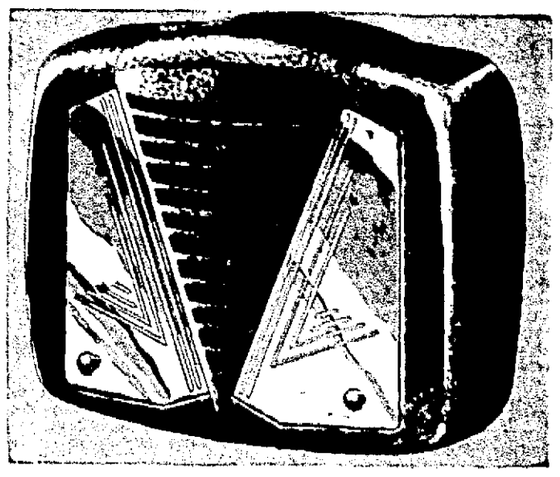

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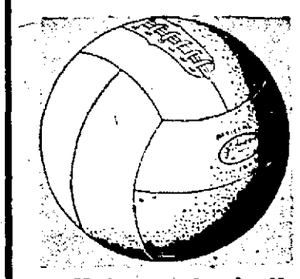

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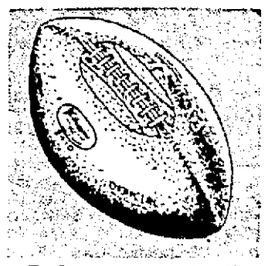

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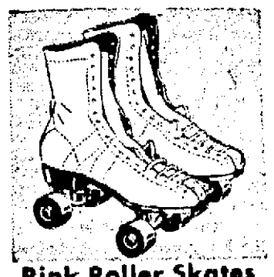

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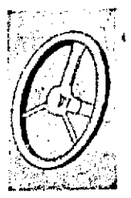

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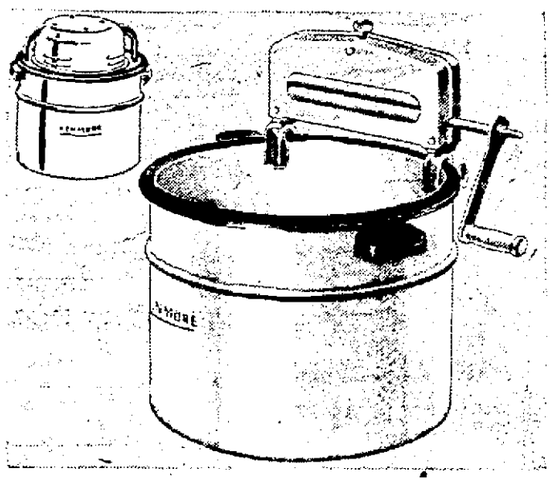

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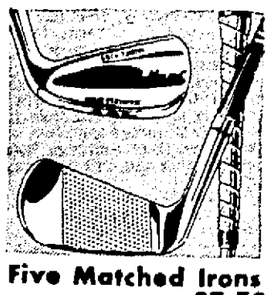

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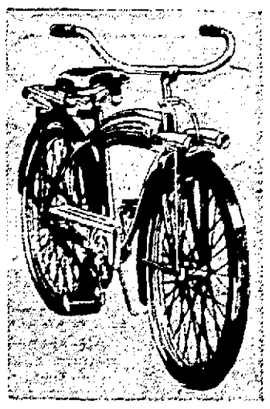

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CHAPTER 10

Tom Returns With the Wool

"NOW RUN!" HE CRIED AS HE, TOO, RACED AWAY

POOR Peter lay in the grass without his hat and without the magic feather that would keep the bulls away. He got to his feet and searched frantically for the hat but the bulls were already charging across the meadow.

Tom Clover, with his pocket full of red wool, thought, "I am safe for I have my feather in my hat and the bulls will not touch me!"

But he could not leave his friend. He turned and began running beside the bulls. He took off his hat with the magic feather sticking in it and waved it fiercely at the enraged animals.

"Stop!" he roared. "Go away!"

The bulls stopped and stared in confusion at the feather which calmed their rage. While they paused Tom ran past them and threw his hat and feather on Peter's head.

"Now run!" he cried as he, too, raced away.

But the bulls saw at once that Tom no longer had the feather and they charged again, this time at him. They pushed him down and rolled him over and over in the grass.

He lay there stunned as the bulls turned to charge again. "This is the end," thought Tom and he was filled with grief for his mother who would never know what had become of him.

He pressed his face hard against the ground and suddenly he sobbed with joy for his face was scratched by Peter's magic feather which had fallen in the grass!

He snatched it up and the bulls, when they saw it, turned away for they could do him no more harm.

THEN Tom and Peter limped away. "Oh, Tom," cried Peter. "I wish you would stay here forever for you are the bravest boy I have ever seen."

"I wish I could stay," replied Tom. "But I must hurry back to Mizoo."

"But how will you ever get there?" asked Peter.

"That I do not know. I have been thinking and thinking but I have not found a way."

"Listen, then. You can have my toy airplane!"

"But, a toy airplane will not fly!"

"Oh, yes," said Peter. "In the Land of Tomorrow our toy planes fly like any other. All you have to do is set the dials and it will carry you anywhere. When you get home you set the dials again and it will return to me."

Then Peter took Tom back to his home and showed him the plane. There were other toys, too—toys that can only be found in Tomorrow.

There was a bamboo slide that went up and down, up and down around the yard so you never had to get off and climb back up for a second ride. There was a ball that could bounce as high as the sky and no matter how far you threw it it would always come back for you to catch. There was a toy teddy bear that walked around and growled and ate real sausage from your hand.

"How I'd like to stay!" cried Tom. "But I must say goodbye."

He got into the toy plane and set the dials the way Peter showed him. The motor purred ever so softly and the plane rose and sped away.

Sure enough the plane carried him straight to Mizoo. Then Tom set the dials and sent the plane back to Peter.

MEANWHILE the sun was sinking and the sky was darkening and Mr. Sleek sat in the park and felt very cheerful because he thought, "If the boy does not return soon he has failed and must admit he is neither clever nor brave nor good."

But just at that moment Tom came running between the trees. "Here is the wool!" he cried happily and he dumped a pile of blood red wool in the evil creature's lap. "Now show me the star!"

Mr. Sleek was so disappointed he leaped to his feet and threw the wool away. "You wretched boy!" he screamed angrily. "How did you get it? How did you ever find a red sheep's wool?"

Tom was too shocked to speak. He simply stared until Mr. Sleek managed to control his fury.

Then Tom quavered, "The star? What about the star?"

"Oh, yes!" snapped Mr. Sleek. "The star. Follow me."

And he stomped away.

(Next, Mr. Sleek Tricks Tom)

TO NAME NEXT UN LOCATION

Paris and Geneva Leading Contenders for Site of '48 Assembly.

By The Associated Press

LAKE SUCCESS, Dec. 15—A high United Nations official predicts the European site for the 1948 general assembly will be selected sometime before March and lists Paris and Geneva as the leading contenders at this time.

Secretary General Trygve Lie will leave for Europe Jan. 8 with intention of visiting Geneva, Paris, Brussels, Prague and The Hague—the cities still under consideration.

In preparation for his visits, Lie has circulated a questionnaire to the governments of Switzerland, France, Belgium, Czechoslovakia and the Netherlands asking information on meeting facilities, hotel accommodations, transport and food supplies in the five cities. Stockholm and Copenhagen earlier eliminated themselves from consideration.

Will Meet Committee

After his inspections, Lie will confer with a nine-nation committee set up by the 1947 assembly to make the final decision. As soon as the site has been picked and final approval of the host government obtained, the UN will open offices for an assembly advance planning party in that city.

The UN staff will be augmented gradually until a full corps is on hand for the 1948 session scheduled to open Sept. 21. Either Adrian Pelt of the Netherlands, assistant secretary general, or David Vaughan of the United States, director of conferences and general services, will supervise the preliminary operations in Europe.

Plans are being made on the basis of an assembly session lasting six to eight weeks. The 1947 meeting here and in New York City ran 10 weeks.

Estimated Cost

The cost of the 1948 session is guessed at $1,863,554 if the assembly goes to Geneva and $2,009,554 if it is staged in Paris or some other European city. The comparative cost for a 1948 assembly here and in New York would be about $961,679.

The difference between figures for Geneva and other cities in Europe is accounted for by the fact that the UN already has an extensive regional office operating in the Swiss city of League of Nations memories and could eliminate some of the moving expense.

Under present plans, the assembly will return to the United States for its 1949 meeting. UN officials are hoping to have the permanent UN skyscraper headquarters in New York at least partly completed by the end of that two-year period.

The Third Session

The European city selected will be the third home for the assembly. The first session was held in London early in 1946 and subsequent ones at New York-Lake Success.

Should a special session be convened on Palestine or any other issue prior to the 1948 fall meeting, it would be held in the United States.

BURMESE CALLER. At the door of the White House is U. So Nyun, the first ambassador to the U. S. from Burma which recently became an independent state. He called on President Truman to present credentials.

$50,000 FIRE IN CLEVELAND

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15 — One fireman was overcome by smoke and another injured slightly last night in a blaze that caused an estimated $50,000 damage to a six-story building housing a number of industrial concerns. Cause of the fire was not determined immediately.

BUCYRUS DRIVER FINED

Walter Blankenship, 22, of Bucyrus was fined $10 and costs when after pleading guilty in municipal court Saturday to driving a car with insufficient brakes. He was arrested by state highway patrolmen on route 4 at 11:30 p. m. Friday.

Women's Church Council Plans for Prayer Day

A meeting of the Women's Division of Marion County Council of Churches met Friday afternoon at the Calvary Evangelical [illegible] United Brethren [illegible] with Mrs. Leo Keller presiding.

Nineteen women representing seven churches were present. Mrs. [illegible] gave the opening prayer. Mrs. S. H. Haughn was elected to serve as secretary for the remainder of the year and Mrs. H. F. Stucky was appointed [illegible] chairman. Committee [illegible] to plan for the "World Day of Prayer" [illegible] Feb. 13 include Mrs. Keller, Mrs. J. W. Young and Mrs. Chester Morris.

A report on the women's convention held recently in Columbus was given by Mrs. W. [illegible] Riley. Theme of the convention was "Building Toward a World" and in her report Mrs. Riley reviewed a number of the worthwhile county projects. Mrs. Keller announced that Mrs. E. W. Weaver of the Collingwood church of To[illegible] [illegible] been elected [illegible] [illegible] project [illegible] discussed. Theme for the [illegible] quarters [illegible] American Indians [illegible] States were made citizens. [illegible] used to buy powdered [illegible] for [illegible] children.

Presbyterian Church Circle Is Entertained

Mrs. C. H. Elliott was hostess and Mrs. H. O. Scribner an associate hostess for a meeting of Circle No. 4 of the General Aid society of the First Presbyterian church, Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Elliott on East Center street. Mrs. M. A. Mickley conducted the devotions and Miss Leona Taylor gave a report of the general aid society meeting.

Mrs. Henry S. Kraner, leader, presented a Christmas story which was followed by a gift exchange and refreshments. Mrs. French Crow of Oakland, Calif., was a guest. One new member was enrolled. The January meeting will be with Mrs. C. G. Smith of South Prospect street and will be a guest party.

NOTED WRITER DIES

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Henry L. Stoddard, 86, author and one of the outstanding newspaper political reporters in the early part of the century, died here Saturday. He was born in New York.

DOCTOR, INVENTOR DIES

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Dr. Samuel Friedman, 72, medical practitioner and inventor who was said to have devised the first railroad block signal system, died here yesterday.

Arthritis Pain Curbed Easy Way

Recent medical tests by a prominent Chicago physician prove that most people who suffer from stabbing or dull, nerve-racking pains in the back, hands, legs, arms, shoulders and neck, due to Rheumatism, Arthritis, Neuritis, Lumbago, Neuralgia, or Sciatica can expect quick help from the remarkable medicine called **Romind.**

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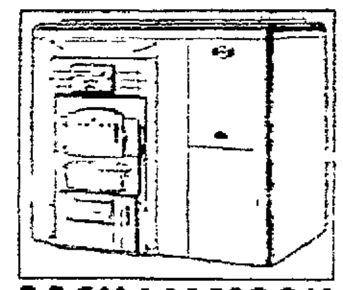

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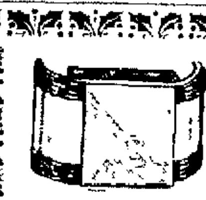

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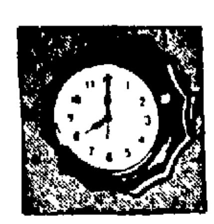

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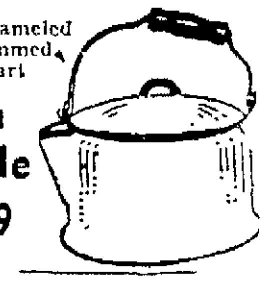

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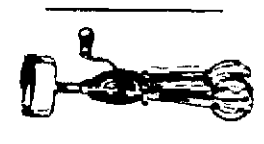

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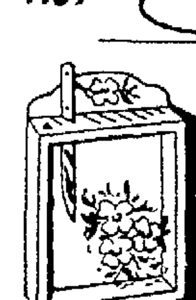

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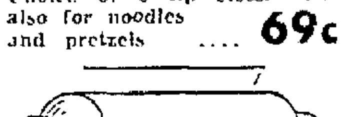

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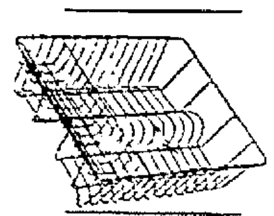

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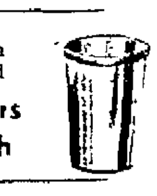

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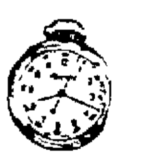

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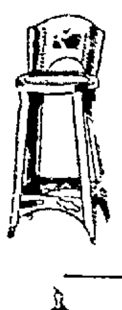

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Stalin Signs Order Cutting Ruble Value To Check Inflation

By The Associated Press

[illegible] Dec. 15—The Soviet government has announced in a [illegible] by Prime Minister Stalin that it will attempt to check [illegible] the issue of a new currency tomorrow and, at the [illegible] abandon the rationing of all "food and industrial [illegible]

[illegible] radio broadcast to the Russian people the news of [illegible] which was issued by the council of ministers (cabinet) [illegible] munist party.

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[illegible] rency decree stipulated [illegible] ught to banks for con- [illegible] uld be exchanged at [illegible] 10 for one new ruble.

Exchange Date Set

[illegible] exchange must take place [illegible] Dec. 16 and 22.

The decree affects persons with [illegible] savings accounts and cash. Bank deposits up to 3,000 rubles will be exchanged at the rate of one-for-one basis; accounts up to 10,000 rubles will be exchanged at the rate of one-to-one for the first 3,000 rubles and the remainder on a basis of two new rubles for three old; deposits over 10,000 rubles will be exchanged at the foregoing rate for the first 10,000 rubles and the remainder on the basis of one new ruble for two old.

Holders of ordinary state bonds will receive new bonds with a face value of one ruble for each three rubles of face value of the old bonds. Holders of the 1938 issue of state bonds, which were fully redeemable at any time, will receive one new ruble for each five of face value.

Those who present cash will receive one new ruble for 10 old ones regardless of the amount they exchange, thus making cash holders the chief losers under the reform.

The reform does not affect wages. All factories and offices have been ordered to pay their employes this week in new money their salaries for the first half of the month to enable them to get started under the new program.

First Mention of Inflation

Announcement of the decree was the first official mention of inflation and speculation in the U.S.S.R. although a hint that rationing would be abolished was disclosed Dec. 9 in a statement by Georgi Malenkov, a member of the politburo.

The ending of rationing of all "food and industrial goods" will bring consumer goods under unified price control. The announcement said one object of the program was to check inflation and speculation, which had increased market prices of some commodities to 10 or 15 times their prewar levels.

The price of bread under the new program will be 12 per cent lower than the old ration price. A 10 per cent cut will take place in cereals and macaroni. Meat, fish, fats, sugar, confectionery goods, salt, potatoes and vegetables will remain at the present ration price.

Tea, milk and certain other items were increased over their ration price, but reduced well below prices charged in the unrationed "commercial" stores.

Citizens of Moscow received news of the rationing abolition with open joy. When the decree was broadcast and they realized its import, Russians slapped one another on the back and met in group to discuss developments.

When the decree goes into effect Russia will become the first of the larger European nations to de-ration completely all foodstuffs and consumer goods.

IN UPPER SANDUSKY COURT

Two Upper Sandusky men arrested by the state highway patrol Sunday for traffic violations are slated to appear in Upper Sandusky mayor's court tonight to answer charges. They are Paul Calmes, 19, charged with speeding on route 23, and Darris Boucher, 52, charged with stop sign violation.

PATROL ARRESTS DRIVER

George Golding, 32, of Columbus, was arrested by the state highway patrol on route 30-N at 5:50 p. m. Saturday and charged with passing at an intersection. He is slated to appear in Upper Sandusky mayor's court Dec. 20 to answer charges.

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DEATHS and FUNERALS

Mrs. Zua B. Alkire

CARDINGTON — Mrs. Zua Bibler Alkire, 61, died at 1:10 a. m. Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lester Shipman in Delaware, following a two weeks' illness of the grip. She was born near Caledonia March 7, 1886, and had lived in Cardington and Fulton. She made her home with her children during the last few years. Her first husband, Adna Green died in December 1915.

Surviving are three daughters, Mrs. Donald Healea of Cardington, Mrs. Shipman of Delaware and Miss Annabelle Green of Ashley, and a son, Sylvan Green of Fulton. One sister, Miss Bessie Bibler of Watertown, N. Y., also survives.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Tuesday at the church in Fulton with Rev. Frank LaPage, pastor of the Methodist church here, officiating. Burial will be made in the Fulton cemetery. Friends may call at the Donald Healea home.

Sarah E. Garverick

CRESTLINE—Funeral services were to be held today at the Garverick Funeral home for Sarah Edith Garverick, 17 month old daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Wade Garverick of Zionsville, Ind., formerly of Crestline, who died at her home Saturday.

Rev. R. L. Van Scoy of Trinity Evangelical Lutheran church officiated. Burial was made at a cemetery in Johnsville. Surviving are the parents, the maternal grandmother, Mrs. C. E. Sawline of New York, N. Y., and paternal grandmother Mrs. Edith Garverick of Crestline.

Mrs. Eva Taylor

CARDINGTON—Mrs. Eva Taylor, 79, of Cardington, widow of Riley S. Taylor, died at 6 p. m. Saturday in a hospital in Columbus. She was a lifelong resident of this community.

Surviving are a son by her first marriage, Don Glaze of Columbus and a granddaughter, Miss Mar- [illegible] Glaze of Los Angeles, Calif.

Funeral services will be held at 1:30 p. m. Tuesday at the Curl mortuary here, with Rev. Charles Strah, pastor of St. Paul's Lutheran church of which Mrs. Taylor was a member, officiating. Burial will be in Glendale cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home.

Mrs. Daisy Wheeler

PROSPECT — Mrs. Daisy L. Wheeler, 77, resident of Prospect, died in Marion City hospital Sunday morning after an illness of two weeks. Born Dec. 30, 1870 in Wyoming, she was a daughter of Isaac and Mary K[illegible] Moses. A resident of Prospect about 30 years, she was a member of St. Paul Lutheran church and of the Missionary Aid society. Surviving are her husband, Murray L. Wheeler, a daughter and a son, Mrs. Frank Carpenter and Matthew M. Wheeler, both of Columbus, and a sister, Mrs. Charlotte E. Handsaker. Funeral services will be conducted Wednesday at 2 p. m. in the Powell funeral home in Prospect by Rev. Paul E. Dobberstein, pastor of St. Paul church. Burial will be in Prospect cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home after 7 tonight.

Mrs. Mildred Mink

RICHWOOD — Mrs. Mildred Mink, 42, died at 8:50 a. m. Sunday in the [illegible] home on East [illegible] street where she and her husband, Joseph Mink, were rooming. She suffered from diabetes and had been ill 15 months. Born July 31, 1905, in Belle Vernon, Pa., she was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harger. Surviving with her husband, whom she married May 17, 1942, in Niles, O., are her parents, who live at Belle Vernon; children by a former marriage, James Edward Sanders of Courtland, O., Elmer Eugene Sanders of the U. S. Navy, Mrs. Constance Drummond of Warren and Mrs. Glenna Jane Marvin of Richwood, and brothers and sisters, Richard, Clifford and Emerson Harger, Miss Betty Harger, Mrs. Marie [illegible] and Mrs. Leona Paul, all of Belle Vernon.

Funeral services will be conducted Tuesday at 3 p. m. in the Hastings funeral home here by Rev. John [illegible] of Central Methodist church. Burial will be in Claibourne cemetery west of Richwood.

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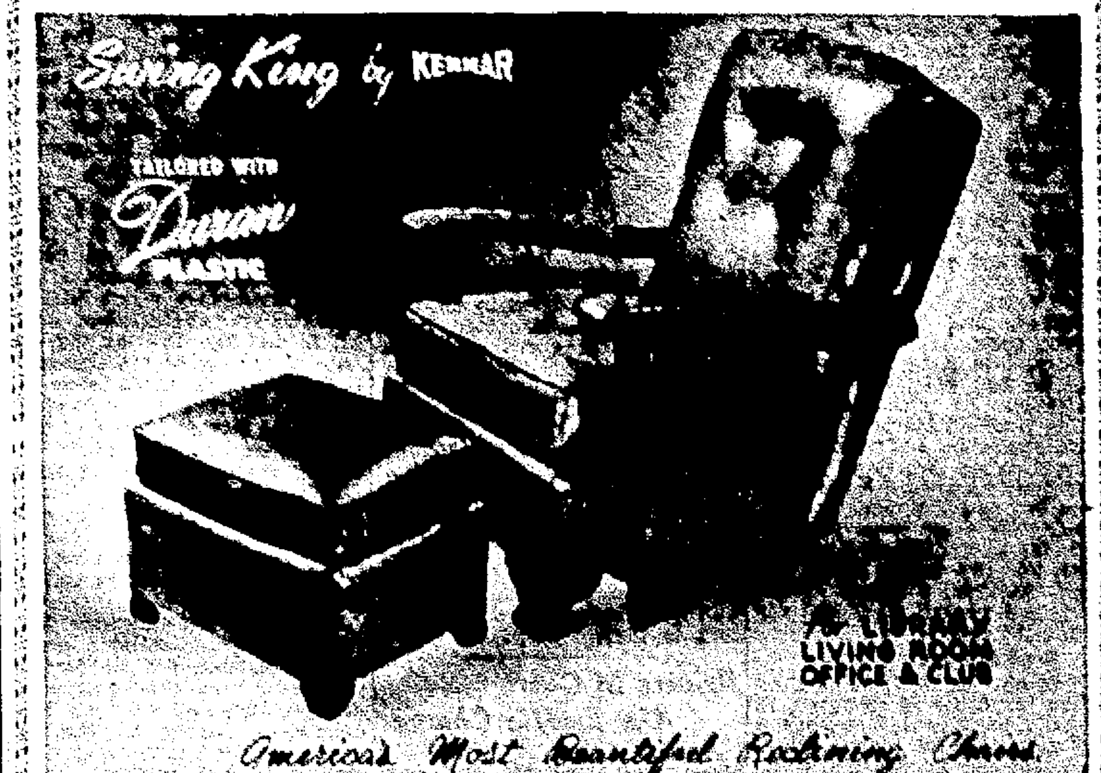

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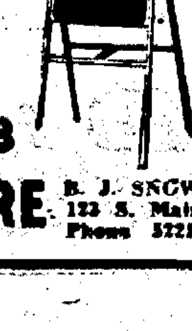

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BALDWIN, KING BREAKER, DIES

As Prime Minister He Forced Abdication of Edward in Wally Simpson Affair.

By The Associated Press

LONDON, Dec. 15—Earl Stanley Baldwin, 80, the Briton who broke a king, died in his sleep during the night at his home in Stourport, Worcestershire, it was announced today.

As Stanley Baldwin he served his country three times as prime minister, but nothing in his long political career approached the decision he and another man forced upon Edward VIII now the Duke of Windsor, in December, 1936.

Baldwin and the late Cosmo Gordon Lang, Archbishop of Canterbury, told King Edward then that he had only this choice—abdication or renunciation of Wallis Warfield Simpson. Edward chose abdication and married the twice divorced American. George VI, Britain's present monarch, then succeeded to the throne.

Baldwin's death came 11 years after the abdication of King Edward. For two weeks before that event, Baldwin, a friend of Edward, had worked night and day behind the scenes.

Read Edward's Message

Then on Dec. 10, 1936, he stood before the house of commons. In his hand was Edward's message of abdication. On his tongue was a story that had gripped the world. He was on the verge of tears.

True to what he conceived to be his trust to the empire, Baldwin moved that the message of abdication be considered, saying:

"No more grave message has ever been received by parliament and no more difficult, and I might say, more repugnant task has ever been imposed on a prime minister."

When the "abdication crisis" was over Baldwin became Earl Baldwin of Bewdley. He handed over the office of prime minister to his chancellor of the exchequer, the late Neville Chamberlain. Then Baldwin retired to Stourport, the place of his birth, to "raise pigs" and muse by the fire.

A Conservative in politics, a

STANLEY BALDWIN

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successful ironmaster in business and a steadfast churchman, Baldwin often was described as the "most English of Englishmen."

Baldwin served as prime minister from May 25, 1923, to Jan 22, 1924; from Nov. 6, 1924, to June 4, 1929, and from June 7, 1935, to May 28, 1937.

He was first elected to parliament in 1908. After he had served as prime minister he described the post as the "loneliest job in the world." He was leader of the Conservative party—a position now held by Winston Churchill—from 1923 to 1937.

Drivers in Court On Traffic Charges

Aaron F. Uncoe, 21, of 165 Glad street was fined $25 and costs in municipal court today after pleading guilty to the charge of speeding. He was arrested on South Prospect street at 2:48 a. m. today accused of going 65 miles an hour while driving south.

Arthur Callari, 51, of Upper Sandusky was fined $15 and costs in municipal court today following a plea of guilty to the charge of speeding on South Main street at 2:09 a. m. today.

Two men were fined $15 and costs each after pleading guilty in municipal court to the charge of reckless operation of an automobile. They are Paul E. Bolenbaugh, 19, of Forest, O., and Arthur E. Stephens of 202 Lincoln avenue Bolenbaugh was arrested at 11:38 p. m. Saturday on North State street and Stephens at 12:01 a. m. Sunday on Blaine avenue.

Harvey E. Jones, 29, of Cincinnati forfeited a $10 bond when he failed to appear in municipal court today to face the charge of *failing to stop at a stop sign.* He was arrested at the intersection of state routes 95 and 98 by the highway patrol at 11:10 a. m Sunday

5 of Family Perish In California Fire

By The Associated Press

STOCKTON, Calif., Dec. 15—Five persons perished yesterday in a cottage fire with heat so intense neighbors could only stand aside and hear three dying children cry: "Mommy . . . Mommy!"

The dead were: Mrs. Earline Scott, 27; her daughters, Beverly Ann, 7, Glenda Marlene, 5, and Brenda Fay, 3; and Mrs. Scott's sister, Lamoine Mays, 14.

By the time a rural volunteer fire company arrived, the house—located in the outskirts of Stockton—had been destroyed. Flames which had spread to four neighboring dwellings were extinguished.

DISTRICT ELKS HERE FOR 2-DAY SESSION

100 Visitors from North-Central Area Attend Meeting.

State officers and committees joined officials and members of the North Central district of the Ohio Association of Elks for a two-day meeting here Saturday and Sunday. More than 100 out-of-town guests were entertained by Marion Lodge No 32, B P O Elks, for the two-day session. State committees meeting over the week end were the parade and quartet contest groups.

At a meeting of the parade committee it was decided to hold the parade, heretofore a feature of the state meeting at Cedar Point in the late summer, at the spring conference which will be held this year at Columbus, April 23, 24 and 25. Holding the parade at the spring conference, it is believed, will result in an increase in entries and also be of interest to a greater number of people. Transportation problems resulting from the distance many marching clubs and bands face in reaching Cedar Point for the state convention will be overcome by holding the parade during the spring conference held in various cities, it is believed.

Here for the meeting were V. E. Berg of New Philadelphia, president, C. R. Maurer of Middletown and Joseph Klinefelter of Bucyrus, vice presidents of the Ohio Elks association, Gerald C. Nau of Elyria, district deputy, and other state and district officers. Ralph Sidle of Wooster, president of the district, was in charge of the business sessions.

Social events included a dance Saturday night followed by a lunch and following the business session yesterday afternoon there was a dinner. Approximately 30 wives of the visiting lodgemen were entertained at cards and a social hour yesterday afternoon in the ladies' parlors, by members of the Elks Women's club. The group later joined the men for the dinner.

SHAPPARD

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Retterer and Deputy Sheriff Edgar Fink. His face ashen in color, he took his seat between the Carharts. He did not speak.

Judge Smith appeared from his chambers and mounted to the bench. Summoned by the bailiff, the jury grave as death itself, filed into the courtroom and took their places in the jury box.

"You have reached a verdict?" Judge Smith inquired.

"We have," Mr. West replied.

Clerk of Courts Calvin Oborn took the written form from the jury foreman and handed it to the bench. Scanning it at a glance, the Judge, heightened the drama by withholding the verdict for several moments to compliment the state and the defense for Shappard on the manner in which the case was presented.

"It has been a fair trial," he said. "Both the state and the counsel for the defense have done all that could have been done to insure a fair and impartial trial."

He then handed the paper to the clerk of courts, Calvin Oborn, who quickly read the verdict.

Shappard, whose fate had hung in the balanze, did not evince any change in countenance. Though pale, he neither smiled nor showed any reaction whatsoever to the verdict which spared him from the electric chair.

His wife, mother of two children, who had been at his side during the trial wept openly. Shappard turned to her and spoke a few words. An embrace was handicapped by manacles. As family friends took Mrs. Shappard, near collapse, to one side, the sheriff led her husband away to his cell.

With the drama over, the courtroom emptied quickly. Within moments, the seats which had been coveted for the five-day trial were emptied and a half hour later the courthouse was once again in its customary Saturday afternoon appearance, silent and deserted.

Shappard, far from dejected, was singing this morning in his cell in the county jail. Upon return to his quarters, he almost pridefully said, "Well, they gave it to me, didn't they." Joking with the sheriff, the man who is about to enter the penitentiary under a life sentence, said "When I go down to the pen, how about starting in the morning? I want to get credit for that day."

OAK STREET PROGRAM

A program of Christmas music will be presented by the pupils of the school at a meeting of the Oak Street P-T A. Tuesday at 2:30 p m at the school. Miss Elizabeth Edgar will be in charge.

PICKS STRAWBERRIES

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON C. H., Dec. 15—J. S. Horney reports he picked the last of his 1947 strawberry crop yesterday but it was necessary to thaw the berries before they graced the dinner table. Horney said his ever-bearing plants, which he has protected with straw in recent weeks, began producing in June.

4 Dead, 10 Hurt in Accidents

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passenger in the car, suffered from shock and bruises Very little damage resulted to the car.

Born in Powell

Acarah Eugene Fraker of 73 Hill street was born Oct 21, 1924 in Powell, O., to Acarah C Fraker and Irene Piatt Fraker. He served 26 months with the U S Navy entering the service March 19, 1943 and discharged Feb 22, 1946 Part of this time he served with the Pacific fleet He was a member of Reed Miller Post, Veterans of Foreign Wars of Delaware, the Moose lodge and the Fish and Game club.

Surviving with his parents are two sisters, Patricia and Shirley, both at home, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Piatt of Hyatts, O

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m Wednesday in the DeVore funeral home by Rev. Sheridan Bell, pastor of the William Street Methodist church. Military services will be conducted at the graveside in Oak Grove cemetery.

Served In Army

Wesley D Hart of 322 North Sandusky street was born Sept. 18, 1927 in Delaware, a son of Earl T Hart and Freda F. Hart. He served 18 months with the U. S. Army with part of that time with the Army of Occupation in Germany. He was discharged May 8, 1947 He was a member of the Grace Methodist church, Raymond B. Austin Post No. 115, American Legion, and had been employed as a welder in Columbus.

Surviving are his parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H Rittenhouse of Delaware.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. Tuesday in the Ramsey-Mohr funeral home by Rev. L Eugene Rush of the Mt. Gilead Methodist church. Burial will be in Oak Grove cemetery in Delaware. Military services will be conducted by the National Guard at the graveside.

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Driver Is Bruised As Auto Overturns

Albert Wilson, 30, of Ottawa, escaped serious injury at 5 a. m. Sunday when the car he was driving ran off route 30-S about 12 miles east of Kenton and overturned in a ditch.

He suffered bruises in the accident and his car was badly damaged.

Apparently he went to sleep while driving, the state highway patrol reports.

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Martel Men Hurt In Car-Train Collision

Harry Vollrath of near Martel suffered slight bruises early this morning when he as involved in an automobile-train wreck at a T. and O. C. railroad crossing two miles north of Martel. The accident occurred at about 6 a. m. while Mr. Vollrath was on his way to work at the Perfection Steel Body Co. in Galion. He was brought to City hospital in the Timson Allen ambulance of Caledonia and his attending physician here reported his condition as "fairly good."

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Four Young People Injuerd in Accident

Four young people from Marion and vicinity were injured, one of them with a broken leg, in a two-car collision on route 23 north of Marion at 10:45 p. m. Saturday.

Miss Marjorie Starner, 18, of near Marion, suffered a fractured right leg and the two other youths cuts and abrasions when the northbound car in which they were riding struck the front end of a car waiting to come onto route 23 from county route 212.

The northbound car, driven by Estel Calvin Baker, 19, of near Marion, overturned after striking the stopped car, driven by Jack Burdette Luckett, 17, of 334 Nye street.

Injured passengers in the Baker car were William Cardwell, 18, of 363 Owens street, lacerations on the chin; Louis Oiler, 16, of 284 Uncapher, a cut lip, and Miss Starner, a fractured leg.

Luckett also suffered lacerations of the chin.

The injured youths were taken to City hospital where all but Miss Starner were treated and released. Both the cars were damaged

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Morral Man's Auto Hit by Train Here

A car driven by Clarence W Matthews of route 1 Morral was struck by a Pennsylvania railroad freight train at 12 20 p m Sunday at the Silver street crossing. Matthews was driving east on Silver street he told police and did not see the train approaching. The freight was southbound. The locomotive struck the front end of the car just as Matthews got the auto stopped. No one was injured and only minor damage was reported to the auto.

An accident occurred at 7 30 p m. Sunday on North Main street at Mill street involving automobiles driven by Thomas Ellison of 305 Park boulevard and Harmon E. Rose of Cygnet, O Both autos were going north on North Main street and Ellison turned his car to the left to enter Mill street when the two cars collided. Minor damage to the fenders of both cars were reported by the police

A car parked on North Main street and owned by Laurie Seiter of route 7 Marion was struck by another car, driven by William Rush of 196½ West Center street, Saturday night. Rush told police he was trying to dodge another car when he lost control and struck the parked auto Minor damage was reported to both cars.

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Mt. Gilead Youth Hurt In Auto, Truck Crash

Charles McPeek, 19, of Mt. Gilead, suffered face bruises in a car-truck collision on route 95 about seven miles west of Marion at 10:10 a. m. today.

McPeek, driving west in an automobile, struck a truck driven by Jack Louthan, 18, of near Galion, which was also going west and turning into a driveway, the state highway patrol reported.

Both the car and the truck were damaged, but neither Louthan nor his brother, Luther, 15, a passenger in the truck, were injured.

COLLEGE

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findings on segregation, particularly with reference to education in the south. They were Arthur H. Compton, chancellor of Washington university, St. Louis, Mo.; Goodrich White, president of Emory university, Atlanta; Douglas S. Freeman, editor of the Richmond, Va., News Leader, and Lewis W. Jones, president of the University of Arkansas, Fayetteville.

A statement indicating the basis for the dissent will appear, it was announced, in the second volume of the commission's report. Six volumes in all will be issued, under the general title "higher education for American democracy."

Comprehensive Program Urged

Today's report said that education for freedom, democracy, and world peace should become part of every phase of college life, including the school administration and outside activities, rather than be confined to a few cources or departments.

And as for the number of students, the commission said college attendance should be boosted to "a minimum of 4,600,000" by 1960, compared with 2,340,000 this year."

EMPLOYES SHARE IN BRUSH-MOORE BONUS

Extra Week's Pay Given Radio and Newspaper Workers.

All employes of The Star on the payroll as of Sept. 1 were today the recipients of one week's extra pay as a year-end bonus

Similar bonus checks were distributed to seven other newspapers and two radio stations in the group comprising Brush-Moore Newspapers, Inc., including The Salem News, East Liverpool Review, Steubenville Herald-Star, Canton Repository Portsmouth Times, Ironton Tribune, Salisbury (Md.) Times, station WPAY at Portsmouth and station WHBC at Canton

Louis H Brusn, chairman of the company's board of directors in a letter expressing appreciation for the loyal and cooperative work of all departments, reviewed the company's successful year despite mounting costs of operation. He outlined, also, plans for the necessary rehabilitation of plants and equipment to meet the needs of progress in newspaper and radio operation.

LAST TRIPLE KILLING FUGITIVE CAPTURED

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Surrender of James Morelli, 20-year-old convicted robber, brought to an end yesterday a 48-hour police search for two survivors of a trio suspected of a gang-type triple slaying last Friday.

Richard B. Austin, acting state's attorney, said he would ask the Cook County grand jury today to indict Morelli and Lowell Fentress, 21, on charges of murdering the three men in the shooting spree. Fentress already was in police custody. The third suspect, Thomas Daley, 36, an ex-convict, was shot and killed by police in Morelli's apartment Saturday morning.

Chief of Detectives Walter C. Storms said Morelli denied firing any of the fatal shots, that he accidentally discharged only one bullet which lodged in the wall of a garage where the shooting started. Storms said Morelli blamed Daley for all three killings and the wounding of two others.

Slain were John Kuesis, 40, a second-hand furniture dealer, Theodore Calus, 29, and Emil W. Stamechel, 22. The wounded are Nick Kuesis, 32, a garage owner and brother of John, and Frank Baker, 17, a garage employe.

Last U.S. Troops Sail from Italy

By The Associated Press

LEGHORN, Dec. 15—The last American occupation troops in Italy were homeward bound today aboard the Transport Admiral Sims, thus bringing to an end a military operation which began when U. S forces stormed ashore in the Salerno area on Sept. 9, 1943.

LEWIS MAY START NEW LABOR DRIVE

By The Associated Press

WASHINGTON, Dec. 15—Leaders of John L. Lewis' 11-year-old district 50, created to wage union organizing war in any direction were summoned into session today in Lewis' first move since "disaffiliation" with the AFL.

Whether the conference of regional directors and other lieutenants in the miscellaneous United Mine Workers affiliate meant that the UMW boss might strike out in a drive to start a third major labor movement remained to be seen.

A shift in the United Mine Workers high command became effective along with its march from the AFL camp. The executive board has designated Thomas Kennedy, 60, former Pennsylvania lieutenant governor and an experienced negotiator, as vice president. He succeeds the late John O'Leary of Pittsburgh.

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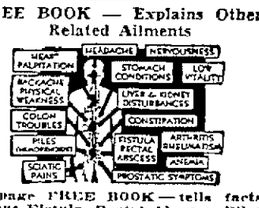

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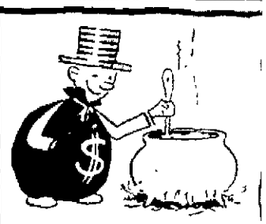

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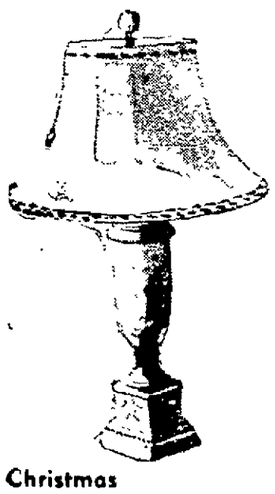

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Rev. and Mrs. Ellis Guthrie of 155 Reed avenue are parents of a daughter born Saturday at City hospital. Rev. Guthrie is pastor of the First Church of the Brethren.

A son was born to Mr and Mrs. John Coffey of 636 North State street Saturday at City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlis Peah of near Waldo are parents of a daughter born Saturday at City hospital.

A daughter was born Saturday at City hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Geiger of 449 East Farming street.

Mr. and Mrs George Richardson of 212 Latourette street are parents of a son born Sunday at City hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeBolt of 499 North State street Sunday at City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David Isaly of 140 Clover avenue are parents of a daughter born yesterday at City hospital.

A daughter was born Sunday at City hospital to Mr and Mrs. Willis Holloway of 839 Bennett street.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller Berry of 338 Fies avenue are parents of a son born Sunday at City hospital.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John K. Thomas of 176 Glad street Sunday at City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn E. Oman of Richwood are parents of a daughter born Saturday in Antonio hospital in Kenton.

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★David L. Burson, who passed away two years ago, Dec. 15, 1945.

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Hospital Patient

Arthur B. Culp of 784 Merkel avenue is under observation at City hospital. He was admitted Saturday.

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Surgery Patient

Mrs Clara Wetmore of 283 Windsor street was admitted to City hospital Saturday for surgery.

Card of Thanks

★We wish to thank our friends, neighbors and relatives for their many kindnesses to us during our recent bereavement. Especially we thank Rev. H. V. Falor, the Schaffner-Denzer Co., the pallbearers, those who sent floral offerings, and the men who furnished transportation. Every kindness is deeply appreciated.

Mrs. Clifford Morgan and Edwin Mr. and Mrs Donald Wise.

Past Presidents Meet

Mrs. Mary H. Kennard of Girard avenue, president, was hostess to members of the Past Presidents club of the L. A. of B. of R. T., No. 846, for a potluck dinner and gift exchange, recently. In cards the awards were won by Mrs. Margaret Carder, Mrs. Julia Gandert, Mrs. Goldie Sellers and Mrs. Grace Bowser.

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Red Cross Program

Barry Sullivan, film star, plays the role of Harry Nelson, a Red Cross motor service volunteer driver in this week's dramatization of the Red Cross series, "In Your Name," to be heard at 10:15 o'clock tonight over radio station WMRN. The series is a weekly presentation of the Marion County chapter of the American Red Cross featuring well-known stars of the stage, screen and radio.

Card of Thanks

★We wish to thank all those who assisted in any way, especially the minister, Rev. Morgan, Mr. Hughes and all friends and neighbors, during the recent illness and death of our mother, Mrs. Luarrie Frazier.

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In Hospital for Operation

Mrs. J. A. Raub of 141 Garden street was admitted to City hospital Sunday for surgery today.

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Townsend Meeting

Installation of officers will be held at a meeting of Townsend Club No. 4, Tuesday in the Central Labor Union hall. The meeting is set for 7:30 o'clock.

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Admitted To Hospital

Cleo Couts of 1028 Uncapher avenue was admitted to City hospital Sunday for medical care.

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Unity Lecture

The lecture at the Unity center at the Y.M.C.A. Tuesday night will be "Vision of Santa Claus." Mrs. Mercedes Fossler will present the lecture at 7:30 and will direct the Unity study class at the Y at 2:30 p. m.

Christian Helpers Meet

An annual Christmas dinner was held by the Christian Helpers Friday noon at the home of Mrs. Maude Obenour on Commercial street. Twenty-six persons were present. Officers were relected for another year, and a donation of $5 was voted to be given to Boys' Town. Plans were made to give a present from the group to Mrs. Gertrude Miller at the County Home. A gift exchange followed and the next meeting will be with Mrs. Annabelle Layton on Wilson avenue.

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Taken To Hospital

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In City Hospital

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Enters Hospital

Mrs. John Gaster of 278 South Grand avenue is receiving medical treatment at City hospital. She was admitted Sunday.

Sunday School Elects

Arthur Blair was elected superintendent of the Lee Street Presbyterian Sunday school for the coming year at the Sunday school hour yesterday. Chosen with him were the following: Paul George, assistant superintendent; Mrs. Nora Berry, secretary; Mrs. Fern Armstrong, assistant secretary; Scott Rider, treasurer; Mrs. Scott Rider, librarian; Robert Blankenship, pianist and Mrs. Gertrude Castle, superintendent of the junior department.

Goes To Hospital

Mrs. Vernon F. Shroats of 867 South Prospect street was admitted to City hospital Sunday for medical care.

Motorist Arrested

Ralph Swartz, 34, of Upper Sandusky, was arrested by state highway patrolmen on route 30 north at 7 p. m. Friday and was charged with failing to observe a stop sign, according to patrolmen. He was scheduled to appear before Mayor John Milligan of Upper Sandusky.

Christmas Program Planned by Grange

Plans were made for a Christmas program in two weeks at a meeting of Bethlehem grange Wednesday night. Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Augenstein, George Almendinger and Charles Wetterauer were appointed a committee to purchase a treat for the occasion.

The first and second degrees were conferred on three candidates and it was voted to purchase a health bond in the Marion County Tuberculosis and Health association's health seal campaign. Members of the third and fourth degree completed plans for conferring work at the Pharisburg grange.

The program was in charge of Franklin Gerten and Mrs. Marian McMahon and included music by a German band composed of members of Progressive and Bethlehem granges and directed by Albert Click, a playlet, "What Pa Needed," by Mrs. McMahon, Mrs. Dorothy Bogart, Mrs. Carroll Williams and Mrs. Dorothy Gerten, accordion duet by Margaret and Ona Howald and music by the Bethlehem grange quartet, Earl Augenstein, Robert Rice, Walter Bender and Oscar Kaelber, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Martha Rice.

A contest for the children was won by Darrell Gerten and Richard Kaelber. Mrs. Ralph Williams gave a report of the state grange convention held at Columbus. Refreshments were served by a committee composed of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bender and Mr. and Mrs. William Carter.

O.S.L. UMPIRE DIES

By The Associated Press

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Dec. 15.—Jack Nor..., 50, umpire in chief of the Ohio State Baseball league, died Saturday in a Fort Wayne hospital of a heart ailment. He lived in Lima, O., during the baseball season.

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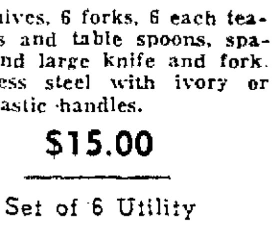

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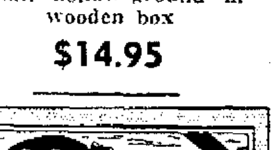

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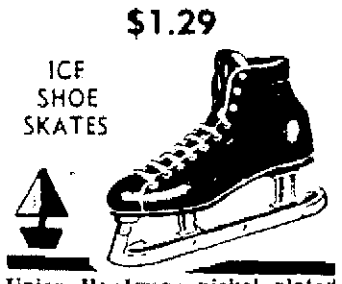

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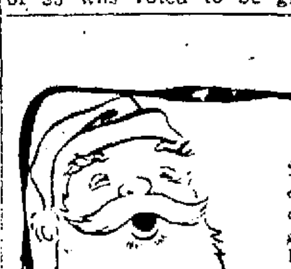

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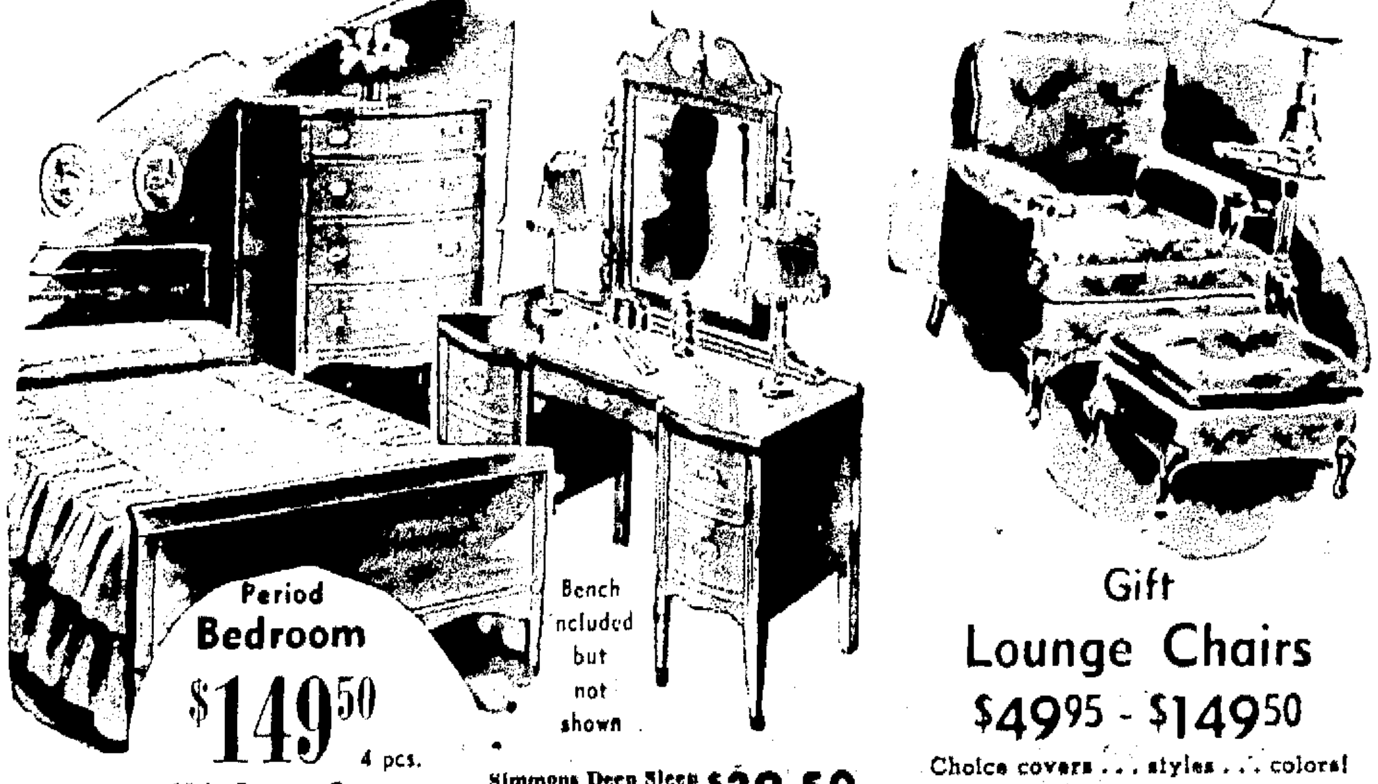

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Love's Perilous Path

By ADELE GARRISON

"WITH you in a minute,' Katharine said when she answered my ring, and she was at the door at once.

"Any more talk-talk in the system?" she queried.

"Not a syllable," Mary said, "and, by the way, you needn't have run away. You missed a lot of choice language—Uncle Dicky's finest, which Auntie Madge related to me. And she brought me wonderful news. I want you to know everything about this mess."

"I'll lap it up," Katharine told her, "but not from you. I'm going to herd you back to bed now. You needn't sleep if you don't feel like it—but lie down and relax you must until luncheon time. You're going out for the first time this afternoon, you know."

"And am I ever going to love it?" Mary said ecstatically. "It's worth going back to bed. But be sure to have Auntie Madge bring you up-to-date on Olina's boy friend, and especially Uncle Dicky's program for him."

"I won't let her omit a syllable," Katharine assured her. "And now, into your bedroom, pronto. Don't you dare go away, Madge. I'll be back as soon as I've put this child under a blanket."

"You couldn't drive me anyway," I told her, and busied myself with a magazine until she came back.

"She's almost asleep already," she said. "She must have been through an exciting session."

"She has," I told her, and then went over Mary's revelation of the letters Georges had written her to the sanitarium, and of the plan Dicky had made for Georges to get his "come-uppance."

"Sometimes," she commented when I had finished, "I almost envy you that devil of a husband of yours. But remember I said almost."

"You'd better," I threatened, laughingly. "But, I'll admit, he is very refreshing when he elvoves one of his diabolical plans. Poor Georges! I don't envy him when Dicky gets through with him."

"'Poor Georges!'" she echoed. "'Poor Olina' you mean."

Then she shook her fist at me.

"Look here!" she said. "I'm warning you. If I see any divine pity oozing out of your carcass toward that colossal heel, I'll beat you up if——"

"If you're able, you and another woman,'" I told her placidly. "But don't worry. Georges has put himself beyond the pale."

But, even as I spoke, I remembered Dicky's prediction, and wondered guiltily, if there would be any possible excusing explanation for the performances of the royal playboy. Everybody was so angry at him, that I sensed a stirring of the sympathy — maudlin, I told myself scathingly, that I generally feel for the mongrel that is being kicked by everybody in sight.

"That won't keep you from splitting a lance in his defense if the spirit so moves you," Katharine said shrewdly. "But a truce to Georges, coupled with a brace of maledictions. I want you to do something for me."

"Anything," I told her warmly.

"Yes, I'll bet you'd start washing windows, if you thought I needed to have them done," she g.bed. "Have you remembered by any chance that you are going on a night hike to the farm tonight, and the Lord He only knows how many hours of sleep you're going to lose?"

"It has crossed my mind," I told her, smiling.

"Have you anything to do, packing, or anything like that?"

"Not a thing," I said. "I'm going to take only an over-night bag, and it's always packed, as you know."

"Yes, I know," she said. "You should have been a nurse. But just now, you're going to obey one. March yourself over to my suite, undress, grab one of my nighties and climb into bed. I'll take care of both your child and your husband—" she gave me an impish grin— "when they return. And I'll call you in plenty of time to dress for luncheon and your trip to the hospital. I'll even order your luncheon for you. Now scoot!"

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Mission Society Meets at Prospect

The Missionary Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church of Prospect held their annual guest day meeting at the home of Mrs. C. E. Almendinger last Thursday. Mrs. David Seiter, pianist, opened the meeting with a prelude, "Echo's of Christmas Hymns." Devotions were in charge of Rev. Paul Dobberstein, pastor. Program included a solo by Mrs. Clarence Wilcox entitled "Let's Light the Christmas Tree." Mrs. Clarence Kietzman gave the Christmas lesson. Presentation of a life membership pin was made to Mrs. Almendinger, a past president. Mrs. Donald Hedges and Mrs. Edwin Isler gave a duet followed by Mrs. Wilcox telling the "Story of the Christ Child." A piano solo, "Christmas Variations" was given by Mrs. Frances Lauer followed by a hymn and closing prayer by the group. Gifts were presented to Rev. and Mrs. Paul Dobberstein by the society. Refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Paul B. Gast.

Guests included, Mrs. Maggie Main, Mrs. E. Baxter, and Mrs. William Griffith of Radnor, Mrs. Lester Gabriel of Delaware, Mrs. R. G. Geer of Marion, Mrs. Peter Graves, Mrs. B. B. Boxwell, Mrs. Charles Isler, Mrs. Harry Lauer, Mrs. Ozella Thomas, Mrs. Carl Gabriel, Mrs. Carl Harmon, Mrs. George Dodrill, Mrs. Laura Stiffler, Mrs. Garry Gast, Mrs. Donald Hedges, Mrs. Edwin Isler, Mrs. David Seiter and son, Dickie, Mrs. Naomi Almendinger and Miss Edna Almendinger.

"DORT PLAN" AUTHOR. Identifying himself as author of an Austrian relief idea which "became the pattern for the long-range Marshall plan," Dallas W. Dort (above) is shown as he testified in Washington before the senate appropriations committee. State department adviser on relief and rehabilitation, Dort said that a year ago he checked up on the assistance needs of Vienna and "was surprised to learn" his suggestions had become generally referred to as the "Dort plan."

Glenwood Talent Club Meets at Brewer Home

A meeting of the Glenwood school Talent club was held Friday at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Brewer on Waterloo street. Janet Keener, vice president, presided, and election for a secretary was held. Julia Rhodes was chosen to fill the place of the former secretary who resigned. Devotions were led by Julia Rhodes and the group said the Lord's prayer in unison. A Christmas program was given. Barbara Brewer played a clarinet solo; Marlene Little presented a piano solo, and Marilyn Harris and Barbara Brewer, piano duet; Joyce Brewer, Marilyn Harris, Vera Trent, Lois Rhodes and Eileen Azaroff sang; Faith Dall, Jane Keener, Sheryl Morgan Betty Porter and Barbara Brewer sang; and Janet Keener, Julia Rhodes and Hope Dall sang, and Caroline and Billie Gray, guests, spoke. Closing group song was followed by lunch served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Dewey Little.

Man Back in Jail Flew Coop Twice

Special to The Star

BUCYRUS—James Kelley, 22, Galion, is back in county jail, held on a charge of driving an automobile without the owner's consent as the result of his appropriation of Deputy Sheriff Clyde Richardson's car while he was being transported to county jail early in November.

Kelley and his companion, a juvenile girl, were taken into custody in the home of the former's mother in Galion Thursday.

Kelley's jail record is an in-and-out proposition. While being driven to Bucyrus from Galion with his companion by Sheriff Richardson he drove off with the sheriff's car when he and his companion were left in the car alone while a deputy served a summons at Sugar Grove. Taken into custody again in Lawrenceburg, Tenn. he was held only a short time when he escaped from the jail with six other prisoners.

An FBI detainer is held against him for questioning on other charges.

CUB PACK MEETS

At a Christmas meeting of Boy Scout Cub Pack No. 46 of Wesley Methodist church at the church Monday night, it was voted to send a Christmas package to a needy family. Silver arrow award was presented Stanley Callahan, and wolf badge to John Sweeney. Lee Hathaway was in charge. Christmas carols were sung, accompanied by Marvin Buckingham, and a gift exchange was held.

NEW SCRAP PAPER CANS ON STREETS

City Places Refuse Containers Out for Public Use.

Marionites won't be blasted in the face with a bombardment of paper scraps if they continue to make use of the wastepaper containers placed in the downtown section for an experiment, Edward O. Uncapher, safety-service director, said today.

The cans have been placed at the entrances of the National City bank at Main and Center streets, at the bus stop near the Midway restaurant and at the entrances of Gallaher's drug store and Fu-off's restaurant on South Main street.

Mr. Uncapher commented on the cooperation received from pedestrians to date and expressed the hope that they would continue to use the containers instead of discarding the papers along the street.

The refuse cans now in use have removable burlap bags which facilitate emptying. If the experimental containers continue to bring results, Mr. Uncapher said some additional 14 cans will be purchased and placed at intervals in the downtown district.

Mr. Uncapher explained that the experiment was being tried since street cleaners had difficulty in sweeping up the refuse because of the number of cars parked along the streets. The only time the crews can clean up the trash is early morning when the parking spaces are empty.

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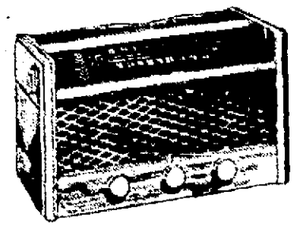

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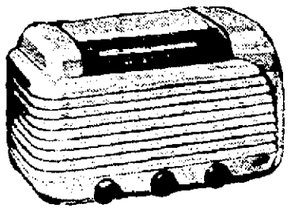

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BABY SITTER CALLED TO JUVENILE COURT

By Associated Press

[illegible]LAND, Dec. 15—A juvenile girl who started a [illegible] search by leaving [illegible] job to go joyriding [illegible] boys in a truck taken [illegible] employer's garage was [illegible] juvenile court today. [illegible]-year-old Alice Ritchie [illegible] two boys, Johnny Vattell, Leonard DeFazio, 15, are [illegible] larceny and auto theft [illegible] of the escapade they [illegible] thought up "on the spur [illegible] moment."

[illegible] disappeared Friday night [illegible] suburban Bratenahl home [illegible] was employed to watch [illegible] children while the parents [illegible] a theater. [illegible] returned to find their children safely asleep, the pretty baby-sitter gone, and a German pistol, two old fashioned revolvers and a pot containing $5 in pennies missing. A bakery delivery truck taken from the garage was found abandoned later Friday night, and witnesses said they saw two boys and a girl run from the truck after it sideswiped a parked car.

A fear that Alice had been kidnaped by burglars was dissolved Saturday night when she turned up at the home of a girl friend and the two boys returned to their homes. From Friday night until late Saturday they hid in a [illegible] by [illegible] shack some boys had built in the rear of an East Side house, they told Sgt. James O'Donnell of the Bratenahl police.

Sergeant O'Donnell said Alice told him she invited the two boys to accompany her to Bratenahl from a junior high school dance and admitted them to the house after her employers left for the show.

The boys said they considered Alice "a straight girl" and made no advances to her. Police women who questioned the girl made a similar report.

At the shanty the boys were tending a fire and Alice was making them sandwiches when they were chased away by the property owner.

The trio spent the remainder of the weekend in the detention home.

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BOWLING SCORES

Rose Marie Seiter rolled a hot 185-178-177—538 series in the Ladies All-Star league at the Marion Rec Thursday but Seiter's Grocery lost to Carroll's by 16 pins in spite of her torrid pace. Thirteen other games over 150 were turned in by the ladies in that league.

Both series and single game highs were captured by Sharrock in the Marion Engineer Depot league bowling at the Marion Rec with a 238 game and a 541 series.

Ray McFarland and Art Winterstellar both rolled 226 games in the Classic league at the Palace. McFarland's 577 series was the best turned in. Clark Metal Products turned in a team series of 2618 and a 945 single game score to lead the loop, Classic teams.

Jean Lese and M. Gibson won both honors in their division of the Huber league at the Palace. Jean's 175 game and 457 series was high for the women and Gibson's 205 and 566 was high.

Dorothy Hodges took both honors in the Ladies Thursday Afternoon league, scoring a 189 game and a 487 series.

Individual series scores and league standings follow:

LADIES ALL-STAR LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Carroll's Jewelry	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Seiter's Grocery	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Sunset Dairy	[illegible]	[illegible]	.500
Markert & Lewis	[illegible]	[illegible]	.489
Spotless Cleaners	[illegible]	[illegible]	.444
City Limit Restaurant	[illegible]	[illegible]	.422
Red Cab	[illegible]	[illegible]	.388
Vess Cola	[illegible]	[illegible]	.288

Markert & Lewis—Rhinehart 438, Hukmus 341, Hessinger 426, Applegett 400, Chaseddle [illegible]; total 2021.
Spotless Cleaners — Gunder 481, Waller 397, Reinhart 371, Strange 373, Ault 378, Hcp. 67; total 1888.
Sunset Dairy—Delter 462, Dickason 344, Hodges 370, Smith 307, Jones 344; total 1788.
City Limit Restaurant—Duffy 380, Osborne 348, Bowsher 375, Moore 288, Collins 385, Hcp. 93; total 1865.
Vess Cola—Karstin 414, Yockey 338, Barnett 300, Green 308, Oxley [illegible] 409; total 1759.
Red Cab—Starling [illegible], Greene 385, Penrose 445, Noble 281, Haberman 330, Hcp. 48; total 1785.
Seiter's Grocery — Mock 388, Phelps 300, [illegible] 516, Amick 380, Seiter 538, Hcp. 82; total 2040.
Carroll's Jewelry — Baldauf 432, Hines 438, Channmal 349, Rebeock 438, Snyder 426; total 2083.

M.E.D. BOWLING LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Splits	27	16	.628
Spares	24	18	.571
Trailers	24	18	.571
Low Point	22	20	.524
Woodpeckers	20	22	.475
Bowl Low	20	22	.476
Turkeys	17	25	.405
Hot Party	14	28	.333

Woodpeckers—Short 427, Ziegler 424, Fox 244, Markwerth 404, Tetter 566; total 2116.
Bowl Low—Tilton 416, Lust 445, Black 439, Metzger 376, Mallett 375, Hcp. 126; total 2182.
Spares—Winder 402, Friend 386, Parks 352, Frohmeyer 471, Spain 524; total 2187.
Trailers—Hardy 348, Sweeney 379, Bostick 475, Snyder 525, Ekler 426, Hcp. 187; total 2235.
Hot Party—Murphy 407, Casteel 407, E. Nicholosi 449, Williams 401, McCollister 446, Hcp. 155; total 2272.
Splits—Almendinger 496, Prodmore 462, Shannon 472, Petter 449, Sharrock 541; total 2366.
Turkeys—R. Harry 484, C. Harry 328, Kirby 458, Radebauch 401, Fox 345, Hcp. 42; total 1986.
Low Point—Owen 404, Brady 367, Bradshaw 432, Thorpe 346, Marchart 428; total 1972.

CLASSIC LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Spot Restaurant	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Saratoga Grill	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crystal Bar [illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Huston Sales	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marion Power Shovel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Furniture Mart	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Palace Recreation	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Clark Metal Products	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Crystal Bar	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
City Ice & Fuel	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Smart & Waddell	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Marion Rapid Transit	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]

[illegible]

City Furniture Mart—Thomas 436, Gesham 562, Minard 466, Kuhner 518, Applegett 508; total 2476.
Smart & Waddell — Burdell 476, Rebeck 420, Randall 521, Potter 512, Harsh 511; total 2393.
City Ice & Fuel — Schender 466, Phillips 547, Campbell 448, Shoemaker 553, Myers 460; total 2511.
Marion Power Shovel — Snyder 465, Wagner 461, Anderson 416, [illegible] 517, Williams 564; total 2452.
Huston Sales—Lust 444, Hinklin 494, Greenland 548, Petrich 459, Boetlin 525; total 2514.

HUBER BOWLING LEAGUE

	W.	L.	Pct.
Team No. 10	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Team No. 2	24	18	.571
Team No. 5	24	18	.571
Team No. 6	23	19	.548
Team No. 4	23	19	.548
Team No. 7	23	19	.548
Team No. 11	21	21	.500
Team No. 3	20	22	.476
Team No. 9	19	23	.452
Team No. 8	17	25	.405
Team No. 12	17	25	.405
Team No. 1	15	28	[illegible]

Team No. 2—Schultz 484, Orthmeyer 564, Ruth 382, Sefter 517, Arthur [illegible], Hcp. 171; total 2575.
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ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

The annual Christmas party for employes of the Marion Milling Co. and their wives was held Friday evening at Hotel Harding with some 50 persons present. Following the 7 o'clock dinner, the evening was spent socially with games and contests. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Hedding were in charge of arrangements. Mr. Hedding is the chemist at the plant.

IN CAGE TOURNEY

By The Associated Press

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., Dec. 15—Cedarville college will represent Ohio in the fourth annual midwest collegiate basketball tournament at Indiana State Teachers college Jan. 1 and 2. The Ohioans meet Southeastern, Oklahoma, in the opening game.

TRUSTEES, CLERKS IN ANNUAL MEETING

Election of Officers Features Presbyterian Church Session.

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During the business session [illegible] of officers for 1948 was completed and the following elected: Mr. Williams, reelected president; Howard McCurdy, vice president; Walter W. Johnson, secretary-treasurer, and S. Kenneth Tober, executive committeeman.

Robert Wayne, engineer of state highway division six, introduced Ralph L. Wolf, executive secretary to the state highway director, who spoke on "Co-operation Between State and Local Governments." Mr. Wolf explained that Ohio is matching approximately four and one-half millions in federal money for road [illegible] this year. [illegible]

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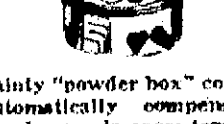

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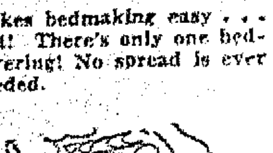

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BODY OF RICHWOOD SOLDIER RETURNED

Pvt. Dallas Alvin Nickol To Be Buried Wednesday.

Special to The Star

RICHWOOD, Dec. 15—The body of Pvt. Dallas Alvin Nickol, 25, of Radnor, who was killed in action in World War II while serving in the European theater, has been returned from overseas for final burial and is now at the Winter funeral home in Richwood. He was brought back aboard the USAT Robert Burns which landed in New York Nov. 25.

Pvt. Nickol was born March 10, 1922, near Radnor to Dallas Nickol and Ethel Bonner Nickol, both natives of Delaware county. He was a member of the Fulton Creek Methodist church.

Surviving is his widow, Mrs. Mary Cox Nickol, whom he married Sept. 21, 1942, two sisters, Mrs. H. C. Hines of Zanesfield and Mrs. C. H. Foreman of Radnor, and a brother, J. Russell Nickol of Marion.

Funeral services will be conducted at 2 p. m. Wednesday in the Winter funeral chapel by Rev. Mowery of Richwood and Rev. Parks of the Fulton Creek Friends church. Burial will be in Claiborne cemetery. Friends may call at the funeral home in Richwood.

FINED AT MT. GILEAD

John Elliott, 22, of Edison, was fined $10 and costs in Mt. Gilead mayor's court yesterday on a charge of speeding on route 42. He was arrested by the state highway patrol Saturday night.

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Eggs weak; receipts (two days) 27,476; price ½ to two cents lower; U.S. extras No. 1, 60; No. 2, 58; No. 3 and 4, 55@56; U.S. standards No. 1 and 2, 52@55; No. 3 and 4, 51@52; current receipts 50@52; dirties 48@51; checks 47@.

Cleveland

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Department of agriculture composite wholesale market for the Cleveland area:

Eggs, U.S. consumer grade in cases (jobbing prices): large AA white 77, brown 72; large A white 72@73, brown 68@70; medium A white 63@64, brown 62@64; small A white 49@52, brown 49@52; large B white 64@66, brown 63@66.

Wholesale egg grades (prices paid f.o.b. Cleveland market, cases included): extra 1 and 2 large (minimum 60 per cent A quality) white 64@65½, brown 60@62, medium white 55@56, brown 53@54.

Live poultry prices (f.o.b. Cleveland market): fowl, colored and heavy types 27@30; fowl, leghorn and light types 20@22; roosters 29@40; fryers 39@41; broilers 39@41; fryers, leghorn and light types 29@30; old roosters 16@17; young tom turkeys 40@42; young hen turkeys 50@52; young ducks 35@37; geese 33@36.

WHITE SHRINE DINNER HELD AT HOTEL HARDING

Past Worthy High Priestesses of Marion Shrine No. 15, White Shrine of Jerusalem, met for their annual Christmas dinner Friday night at Hotel Harding. Following the dinner the members were guests of Miss Wanda Geddis at her home at 305 Summit street for a short business session and social hour.

Mrs. Rose Helwig presided for the business session and for roll call the members gave poems. Mrs. Goldie Miller was enrolled as a new member. Miss Janet Geddis entertained with several piano numbers and Christmas Carols were sung by the group, directed by Mrs. Helwig with Miss Geddis at the piano. In games the awards were won by Mrs. Lauretta Fies and Mrs. Mary Fisher. A gift exchange was held. Refreshments were served by the hostess. Guests included Mrs. Adah Geddis and Miss Janet Geddis. Mrs. Laura Eicher will be hostess for a meeting Jan. 9.

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2 cups chopped nut meats

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New York Stock Quotations

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15 — Stock market leaders generally resumed the recovery move today although most advances were small and exceptions plentiful.

Sizable over-the-week offerings made for an active opening. The pace soon slowed. Fractional advances held the majority near midday.

Repurchasing by those who had sold for income tax purposes served as one of the principal trend props.

Pacific Western Oil and Mission Corp. added a point or so. Modest improvement was shown for Youngstown Sheet, Bethlehem Steel, General Motors, Goodrich, U. S. Rubber, Western Union, Anaconda, American Smelting, General Electric, Johns-Manville, Pennsylvania Railroad and Southern Pacific. Occasional losers included Douglas Aircraft, Glenn Martin, Woolworth, International Harvester, American Can, Du Pont, Union Carbide, J. C. Penney and Great Northern railway.

	1 p. m.		1 p. m.		1 p. m.
Am. Can	89¼	Dupont	165¾	Penn. Railroad	17¾
Am. Car & Fdy.	42¾	Electric Auto-Lite	52½	Phillips Petroleum	58¾
Am. Rad. & St. S.	14¾	Erie Railroad	9¼	Proctor-Gamble	69½
Am. Rolling Mill	26	General Electric	25¾	Pullman	64¼
Am. Smelting & R.	39¾	General Foods	35¼	Pure Oil	27¾
Am. T. & T.	150¾	Gen. Refract	22¾	Radio Corp. of Am.	16
Am. Tobacco B.	67¼	Goodrich	37½	Republic Steel	26¾
Anaconda Copper	27	Goodyear	44	Sears-Roebuck	37¾
Atchison T. & S. F.	84¾	Harb-Walker	26	Servel Inc.	12¼
Atlantic Refining	35	Interlake Iron	14	Shell Union	22
Baldwin Loco.	19¼	Int. Harvester	57¾	Socony-Vacuum	16⅝
Baltimore & Ohio	12¼	Johns-Manville	41	Standard Oil Ind.	46¾
Bendix Aviation	39	Libbey-O-F Glass	35½	Standard Oil N. J.	77
Bethlehem Steel	109	Mead Corp.	19⅝	Timken R. Bearing	52½
Borden Co.	42¾	Montgomery Ward	53¼	Union Carbide	101¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	42	National Biscuit	32¾	United Aircraft	34
Chrysler	62¾	National Dairy	25¾	U. S. Rubber	44¾
Columbia Gas & El.	11¾	N. Y. Central	14	U. S. Steel	77¾
Cont. Motors	8⅛	Norfolk & Western	57½	West. El. & Mfg.	29½
Cooper-Bessemer	29	North American	17¾	Wheeling Steel	46¼
Curtiss-Wright	6	Ohio Oil	31¼	Woolworth	45¼
Douglas Aircraft	48	Penney J. C.	42½	Youngst. Sh. & T.	77½
				Sales	640,000

LIVESTOCK

Marion Livestock

(Producers Cooperative quotations)

Hogs — Market higher, 200-240, 25.50; 150-200, 26.25; 160-180, 25.25; 240-270, 26.00; 270-330, 25.75; 330-300, 25.50; good roughs 23.25 down; stags 19.00.

Calves—Market steady; good to choice 30.00@34.00; medium 19.00@25.00; common and culls 18.00 down.

Lambs — Market steady; 24.75@25.25; medium and good 20.00@22.50; culls 15.00 down; aged sheep 5.00@4.50 down.

Cattle—Market steady; good to choice dryfed 25.00@29.25; good butcher steers 18.00@25.00; fat cows 14.00@17.00; canners and cutters 7.00@11.00; good bulls 12.50@18.25.

Cleveland

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Cattle 700, strong; steers 1200 lb. choice 28.00@31.00; 800-1100 lb. 25.00@30.00; heifers 23.00@28.00; cows 14.00@17.00; good butcher bulls 17.00@23.00.

Calves 400, strong; good to choice 26.00@32.00; medium to good 20.00@26.00.

Sheep and lambs 1,500, 50 higher; spring lambs good to choice clips 21.00@24.50; medium to good 18.00@23.00; choice wethers 9.00@10.50; choice ewes 8.00@9.00.

Hogs 1,400, 65 higher; heavies 300 lb. up 25.50@26.50; medium 250-300 lb. 26.00; butchers and yorkers 160-250 lbs. 25.00; roughs 21.50@23.50.

Chicago

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Salable hogs 10,000, total 16,000; barrows and gilts closed active, 50 to mostly 75 cents higher than Friday; top 26.75 freely; bulk good and choice 180-300 lb. butchers 26.50@26.75; weights under 180 lb. scarce; sows steady to weak; bulk good and choice around 350-500 lb. 23.00@24.00; good clearance.

Salable cattle 14,000, total 14,000; salable calves 1,000, total 1,000; fed steers and heifers generally steady; high-good and choice offerings scarce, active; high-medium and good grades in liberal supply selling on peddling market; common and low-medium steers and heifers active; choice steers and yearlings 33.50@38.50; latter price loadlot top; short load 39.00; excessive supply high-medium to good grade weighty steers here of value to sell at 26.00@30.00; choice to prime 950-lb. heifers reached alltime higher at 35.50; most good and low choice heifers 28.00@31.00; beef cows weak at 15.00@20.00; cutters steady at 14.25 down; bulls and vealers steady; weighty sausage bulls to 21.00; practical outside vealers 28.50; stock cattle scarce.

Salable sheep 8,500, total 9,000; very slow; bidding around 50 cents lower on slaughter lambs; good and choice woolskins held above 24.00; few early sales other classes weak; deck good to choice yearling wethers 20.50; deck cull aged ewes 7.00; load good to choice 68 lb. Dakota white faced feeding lambs 21.00.

SOIL CONSERVATION SUPERVISORS NAMED

H. H. Beringer of Waldo and Carl F. Seiter Elected.

Balloting in the various centralized rural schools resulted in the reelection of H. H. Beringer of Waldo, and the election of Carl F. Seiter of Big Island township as supervisors in the Marion county soil conservation district, it was announced today by Calvin Baldinger, chairman of the board. The ballot was held Friday night from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock.

Mr. Seiter replaces Homer Kile of Martel, whose term expired and who was not a candidate for reelection. Other candidates were W. W. Bowles of Bowling Green and Ralph Roszman of Grand township.

Mr. Beringer and Mr. Seiter will hold their offices for three years.

Team from Y's Men's Club To Man Kettles

Teams from the Y's Men's club will be among the other men's service clubs manning Salvation Army kettles on the streets of the city's business section next Saturday. They will be stationed at the J. C. Penney store and will work in teams of two men in hourly shifts. Through an oversight the club was omitted in the list announced in The Star, Saturday.

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GRAIN MARKET

Local Grain Market

(Quotations by the Marion Grain & Supply Co.)

Saturday price after 2 p. m.: Wheat 2.94; No. 3 white oats 1.20.

Range

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 15 — Grains were mostly higher at the opening on the board of trade today. Strength in surrounding markets brought a little buying into cereals but trading was not active.

Wheat started ¾ to one cent higher, May $2.97½-$2.98; corn was ⅛-1⅛ higher, December $2.58¾-2.59, and oats were ⅛ lower to ⅝ higher, December $1.23¾.

By The United Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Grain range (furnished by Bache & Co.)

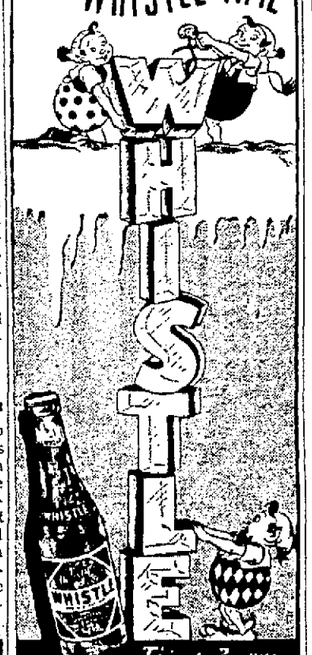
	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat				
Dec.	2.10	2.11¾	2.10	2.11¼
March	....	....	....	....
May	2.96	2.99½	2.97½	2.99
July	2.92⅝	2.94¼	2.92⅝	2.94¼
Sept.	2.94¼	2.96	2.94¼	2.95⅝
Corn				
Dec.	2.58⅝	2.60	2.58½	2.59½
May	2.51½	2.53¼	2.51¼	2.53
July	2.42½	2.43½	2.42½	2.43¾
Sept.	2.23¾	2.25¼	2.23¾	2.25
Oats				
Dec.	1.23¾	1.25⅝	1.23¾	1.21⅝
March	....	....	....	....
May	1.16¼	1.16¾	1.16	1.16⅝
July	1.00¼	1.01½	1.00¼	1.01⅝
Sept.	92¾	93⅝	92¾	93½
Soybeans				
March	3.35	....	....	3.35

OHIO LEGISLATOR DIES

By The Associated Press

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 15—Rep. Henry H. Metcalf (R-Columbus), 55, senior member of the Franklin county Republican delegation in the Ohio house, died yesterday of a heart ailment at West Palm Beach, Fla. He was serving his eighth term in the legislature.

WINTER-TIME IS WHISTLE-TIME



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Steak . . . . . Lb. 59c
TEXAS SEEDLESS—SIZE 64
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MARION SLICED
Bacon . . . . Lb. 61c
Oranges . . . doz 22½c
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48 Size
Head Lettuce 12c
PASCAL
Celery . . . . Ea. 21c
100% PURE
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FRESH PORK
Liver . . . . . Lb. 33c
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would have made Italy another Greece.

It would have reduced the Italian government to the status of a puppet of a foreign power, and deprived the Italians of the self-respect and self-confidence which they must have (and in fact do have) to maintain their independence and their own national existence.

Lodge is one of those who have not yet understood that the way to contain Russia is by the strategical employment of American power, not by local, tactical interventions of the Soviet Union.

These local interventions—in Korea, in China, in Greece, and in Turkey—have all turned out badly. They have cost us money, which has been wasted, and they have cost us prestige, which we need to conserve.

Of them it can be said truly that they are Operation Rathole, and even Operation Bear-by-the-Tail.

For in these operations, once engaged, there is no decision and no end. But we have to hold on because there is no way of letting go.

HEADS HOTEL ASSOCIATION

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Raymond J. McSoley, manager of Cleveland's Hotel Statler, is the new president of the Ohio Hotels association. He was elected Saturday.

Meat Packers Report High Week in Sales

By The Associated Press

CLEVELANL, Dec. 15—Swift & Co., meat packers, reported today that net sales of $2,248,766,634 for the year ended Nov. 1 were the highest in the company's history and 71 per cent more than the preceding year.

Net income amounted to $22,234,977, equal to $3.77 a share after a $12,000,000 deduction for "high cost additions to fixed assets," the company said. Net income for 1946, in which no similar deduction was made, was $16,394,739 or $2.77 a share.

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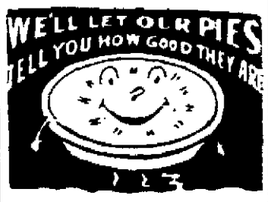

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Nonesuch Mincem't 9-Oz. Pkg. 19c
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Fancy Broccoli California Fresh, Bunch 29c
Candy Yams U. S. No. 1 Louisiana 3 Lbs. 29c
Cello Spinach Solid Fine, Washed and Trim'd. 12-Oz. 19c
Sunkist Oranges Calif. Navel 126 Size, Doz. 59c
Grapefruit Lovit. Seedless. Texas 10 96's For 33c
Tangerines Florida Easy Peel 5 Lbs. 29c
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FORDHOOK LIMAS Frozen 12 Oz. Pkg. 29c
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Boscul Tea Balls Pkg. of 75 19c
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PICTORIAL REVIEW OF NATIONAL AND WORLD HAPPENINGS

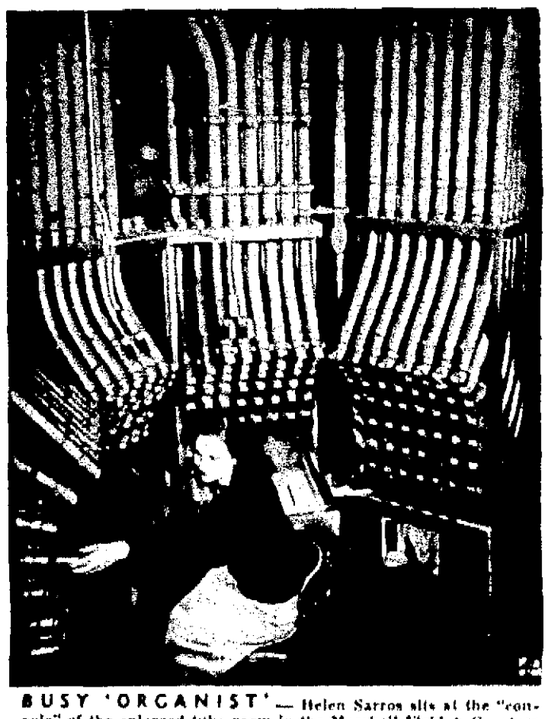
MEDIEVAL SETTING — In the church of Silvaplana, Switzerland, which dates from the fifteenth century, violinist Joseph Szigeti contributes his share to the Engadine festival staged in the Alpine valley.

EXPLORING LOLOLAND — U. S. Army personnel wade a stream in the wilds of western China on a trip which proved that, despite rumors, no GI's were being held by Lolo tribes.

EARLY WINTER WORKOUT — William Jewell gets an early start on the winter's battle with snow as he extricates his auto from a snowbank at Hamburg, N. Y.

UNDER INDICTMENT FOR CONTEMPT of Congress, nine Hollywood writers and directors are shown as they surrendered to the U. S. Marshal in Los Angeles. They were cited for refusing to tell the Un-American Activities Committee whether they were or were not Communists. When arraigned, their bail was set at $1,000. They are (L to r.): Robert Adrian Scott, Edward Dmytryk, Samuel Ornitz, Lester Cole, Herbert Biberman, Albert Maltz, Alvah Bessie, John Howard Lawson and Ring Lardner, Jr. The tenth, Dalton Trumbo, did not appear but gave assurance he would surrender later to the authorities. *(International Soundphoto)*

IN EMBATTLED GREECE — A Greek-manned armored car, found impractical for fighting guerrillas in rough mountain terrain, stands in front of a Thracian mosque in Komotini.



BUSY 'ORGANIST' — Helen Sarros sits at the "console" of the enlarged tube room in the Marshall Field & Co. store in Chicago, through which cash sales transactions can now be completed in an average of 90 seconds.

DRIVING OVER THE CURB, Rome police charge their jeep at some of the 1,000 demonstrating strikers in the Piazza Colonna. More than 100 of the agitators were arrested and at least two were seriously injured. Police dispersed the mob in five minutes. The outbreak was a result of the Communist-called general strike which has paralyzed Rome and 109 cities and towns in Rome Province. *(International Radiophoto)*

Lt. J. M. Bickley Sgt. J. P. Stefanowice

TWO OF SIX SURVIVORS of the Army C-54 plane crash in Labrador, which claimed 23 lives, are Lt. J. M. Bickley, 25, Santa Monica, Cal., pilot, and Sgt. Joseph P. Stefanowice, 19, Warren, O. *(International)*

MANEUVERS IN SNOW — Pvt. Joseph Phaneuf (left) of Manchester, N. H., and S/Sgt. James Klebe of Hammond, Ind., build a shelter in winter maneuvers at Pine Camp, N.Y.

FRIENDLY 'ENEMIES' — Mrs. Vera Dabelle of Minneapolis has a cat and a canary, both named Baby, and a dog, named Snapper. The pets all get along together, and the canary has been trained to sit on the cat's head.

U. S. SECRETARY OF STATE GEORGE C. MARSHALL (second from right) relaxes from deliberations of the Big Four council of foreign ministers in London by attending a London theater where he drinks a toast with (from left) Author Sir A. P. Herbert, U. S. Ambassador to Great Britain Lewis Douglas, Producer C. B. Cochran and Composer Vivian Ellis (right). *(International)*

Harding Beats Delaware, 60-44, for 1st Cage Win

Gherman Nets 18 Points To Lead High Scoring Attack.

By STAN GAREY

Marion Harding won their first basketball game of the season by defeating Delaware Willis, 60-44, when Dick Gherman netted 18 points for the Prexies at Edison gymnasium last Saturday night

The Presidents took an early lead when Dick Riddle sank a foul shot and then a basket. Jim Rea followed with a long shot Dick Diddle help up his scoring by making three baskets and two foul shots in the first quarter.

Riddle's shooting slumped a little in the last of the game when he was unable to find the basket.

Dick Gherman proved himself dead on any shot he tried when he racked up 18 points for high scoring honors. Jim Coss played a steady game and netted 14 points to equal Riddle's total.

The Prexies enjoyed an 11-point lead at the end of the first quarter, but Delaware closed up the gap a little to make the score at the half 27 to 21. Coss made the bulk of his points by foul shots, sinking eight of 13 free throws in the first and third quarters.

Delaware picked up only three points in the third quarter to the Presidents' 12, made up of Coss' five foul shots and Riddle's two baskets.

In the last frame Gherman racked up five buckets and one foul shot while Coss helped with two more fielders. Dick Riddle and Dick Gherman fouled out in the last hurried minutes of the game. As time was running out Dave Coppock of Delaware made two fast baskets in a last desperate stand.

Three Willis players each netted nine points, and John Johnson, only veteran player on the team this year, fouled out during the third period.

Harding's reserves beat the Willis Reserves, 51-21. Dick Wolfe was high scorer for the Prexies with 11 points while Dallas McKean was high with five points for Willis.

VARSITY

Harding—60	G	F.	Delaware—44	G	F.
Riddle, f	6	2	Jones, f	3	3
Gherman, f	8	2	Ayers, f	0	0
Short, f	1	0	Dexheimer, f	0	0
Clark, f	1	0	Johnson, f	0	2
Coss, c	3	8	Keebaugh, f	0	0
Roseberry, c	0	0	Schuff, c	0	1
Rea, g	1	1	McKinnie, c	2	3
Thomas, g	1	0	Warner, g	0	0
Daum, g	0	3	Ogden, g	2	2
Smith, g	1	0	Coppock, g	3	2
			Gardner, g	4	1
Total	22	16	Total	14	14

Score by quarters:

Harding	17	10	12	21—60
Delaware	6	15	3	20—44

RESERVES

Harding—51	G.	F.	Delaware—21	G	F.
Leffler, f	4	1	Hause, f	0	0
Brokaw, f	3	2	Radukge, f	2	0
Ballinger, f	1	0	Owen, f	1	0
Taylor, f	2	1	Smith, f	1	0
Andrews, c	3	2	Martin, c	0	1
Crowder, c	2	0	Keebaugh, c	0	1
Bishop, g	2	1	Balser, g	1	2
Bikingham, g	1	0	Belt, g	0	1
Wolfe, g	5	1	Newall, g	0	0
Roseberry, g	0	1	McKean, g	1	3
Williams, g	0	0			
Ruest, g	0	0			
Total	21	9	Total	6	9

Score by quarters:

Harding	11	10	16	11—51
Delaware	3	8	7	3—21

Officials: Long and Beehling.

PURDUE SWIMMER BREAKS 5 RECORDS

By The Associated Press

LAFAYETTE, Ind., Dec. 15—Keith Carter, Purdue university's star sophomore swimmer from Akron, O., was credited today with five performances which bettered accepted records three of them world marks.

Carter's assault on the records was made during the four-day Purdue Aquacade which ended here yesterday All events were timed by A.A.U. officials and the university said Carter's times will be submitted for acceptance at the annual A.A.U. meeting.

World marks bettered by the Boilermaker tank star are those for 100-yard breaststroke, 100-meter breaststroke and 110-yard free style Carter was clocked in 59.4 for the first event, 1:05.2 for the second, and 57.5 for the third.

Recognized world records for the three events are 1:00.6 and 1:07.3 two breaststroke events, both set by R. R Hough of Princeton, and 58.4 in free style race, set by Johnny Weissmuller.

Carter was timed at 1:38.1 for the 150-meter breaststroke in the aquacade finals yesterday, well under the accepted American mark of 1:45 set in 1943 by Roy Heidke of Purdue. Saturday night the Akron swimming flash went 50 meters free style in 25.1 seconds, seven-tenths of a second under Peter Fick's accepted record.

Demaret Wins Miami Open Golf Tournament

By The Associated Press

MIAMI, Fla., Dec. 15—Dapper Jimmy Demaret headed for a Houston, Tex., vacation today after winning the $10,000 Miami Open golf tournament yesterday with a record-equalling 267—13 strokes under par—for 72 holes of play.

Already the year's leading money winner, he boosted his total earning by $2,000 in the Miami Open for a 12-month total of $26,556.

Fred Haas Jr. of New Orleans won second money of $1,400 with a 269, and Ben Hogan of Hershey, Pa., took third place and $1,000 at 271.

PRO GRID STANDINGS

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—National Football league final standings, including Sunday's games.

EASTERN DIVISION

Team	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	8	4	0	.667
Philadelphia	8	4	0	.667
Boston	4	7	1	.364
Washington	3	8	0	.273
New York	2	8	2	.200

WESTERN DIVISION

Chicago Cardinals	9	3	0	.750
Chicago Bears	8	4	0	.667
Green Bay	6	5	1	.545
Los Angeles	6	6	0	.500
Detroit	3	9	0	.250

Sunday's Results

Chicago Cardinals 30, Chicago Bears 21.
Philadelphia 28, Green Bay 14.
Washington 40, Boston 13
Los Angeles 34, New York 10.

WINS HORSE SHOW

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15 — Rochester A., owned by Lou O'Neill of suburban Shaker Heights, was named top hunter last night in the 54th annual Cleveland fall horse show. Runner-up honors went to Wood Rock, owned by Peggy Augustus of Willoughby.

The Cleveland Browns led their conference in scoring points after touchdown, making 52.

Use of Harding Stadium Limited to School Games

Use of Harding stadium for football will be limited in the future to games of Harding High school, St. Mary High school, and junior high schools, the Athletic Board of Harding High school decided at a recent meeting.

The new policy was adopted by unanimous vote of the group because it was felt that too many games were played on the field to keep it in the proper shape.

The semi-professional Marion Angels footbal lteam used Harding stadium for home games this year.

Y WANTS GIRL CAGE TEAMS

The Y.M.C.A. is anxious to start a girl's basketball league. Anyone interested see Bob Minard or Fred Ruhl at the Y.M.C.A.

BEE GEE CONTINUES BID FOR CAGE FAME

Make C.C.N.Y. 8th Victim Saturday; Bucks Win Too.

By The Associated Press

Bowling Green university's Falcons continue their bid for top national basketball recognition tonight when they take on rugged Duquesne in Pittsburgh

The Falcons, fresh from a Saturday night 72-68 triumph over City College of New York in Madison Square Garden, will shoot for their eighth win in as many 1947-48 starts. They currently are averaging two points a minute.

Bowling Green's triumph over always tough C.C.N.Y., shared the weekend spotlight with Ohio State university's 83-70 defeat of Marquette at Milwaukee.

Center Neil Johnston and forwards Bob Donham and Dick Schnittker accounted for 69 points between them as Coach Tippy Dye's all-sophomore crew found the scoring range in its first away-from-home game and produced the Buck's first win.

Marquette came from behind to knot the score at halftime, 35-all, but couldn't withstand the Johnson's 29-point sniping, the 23 counters pitched in by Schnittker, and Donham's 17 Marquette's Gene Berge collected 32 for game scoring honors

Bowling Green's towering pivotmen, six-foot, 10-inch Charles Share and six-six Don Otten, were too much for C.C.N.Y.'s eager Beavers, who lost four players on fouls trying to stop their backboard work. Otten, who scored 16 points, set a Garden record by connecting on 15 of 17 free throws. Harry Boykoff of St. John's, held the former mark —12.

Toledo, Oberlin, John Carroll, Wittenberg, Western Reserve and Wooster also came through with victories over non-Ohio rivals Saturday, but Findlay, Cedarville, Cincinnati and Griffin (Van Wert) lost to out-of-state teams

PROSPECT ALL STARS BEAT CARROLL'S, 41-22

Special to The Star

PROSPECT, Dec. 15—The Prospect All-Stars dumped Carroll's Jewelry, 41-22, in a basketball game at Prospect Saturday night. Scoring was scattered with Smith and Almendinger netting eight points each to lead the winners and Bud England pacing Carroll's with eight.

The Prospect weekly games will be played on Saturday nights from now on rather than Wednesdays. The All-Stars will meet McMillen Feeds next Saturday with a preliminary game between the Prospect Merchants and Ciro Cameras of Delaware scheduled to start at 7:30 p. m.

Prospect—41	G.	F.	Carroll's—22	G.	F.
Kessler, f	3	0	Riley, f	1	0
S. Kirby, f	0	0	R. England, f	2	2
A. Kirby, f	0	0	B. England, f	3	4
Thomas, f	2	0	Lewis, c	1	1
Smith, c	1	0	Fields, g	1	1
Gill, c	0	0	Clark, g	0	0
Williams	0	0			
Cochran	2	1			
Lauer	0	0			
Oehler	2	1			
Almendinger	4	0			
Total	17	7	Total	7	8

Score by quarters:

Prospect	10	8	20	3—41
Carroll's	3	7	7	5—22

TAKES UP LACROSSE

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Kenyon college of Gambier, O., was one of the three schools admitted yesterday to the U. S. Intercollegiate LaCrosse association.

Y BASKETBALL TONIGHT

A game between Green Camp K. of P. and Schlairet Transfer will start the ball rolling in the Y.M.C.A. Monday Night Basketball league tonight at 7 p. m. McMillen Feed will meet Smith's Clothing at 8 and Hensel Brothers vs. Marion Merchants will begin at 9. Fans are urged to attend.

Browns Win 2nd A.A.F.C. Title By Blasting N. Y. Yanks, 14-3

By AUSTIN BEALMEAR
Associated Press Sports Writer

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Cleveland's powerful Browns owned the championship of the All-America Football conference for another year today and it looked like they would continue to dominate the young professional circuit as long as Otto Graham and Marion Motley retain their health.

The Browns defended the title with bone-crushing authority yesterday by flattening the New York Yankees, 14-3, on the frozen, snow-lined turf of Yankee Stadium and as usual it was Graham's passing and Motley's running that gave the Ohioans the edge.

An overcoated throng of 61,879 watched the conference's western division titlists score in the first and third periods to spoil the bid of the Eastern champs to win the flag on the same ground where their baseball counterparts had captured the World Series only 10 weeks before.

It was even more decisive than a year ago, when the Browns won the inaugural playoff by subduing the same Yankees, 14-9, at Cleveland.

Motley Goes 52 Yards

A 52-yard run by the ponderous Motley, longest of the day, set up the first Cleveland touchdown scored on a sneak by Graham from a yard out after he had flipped a short pass to Mac Speedie to eat up six of the last seven yards.

The Browns added the clincher in the third stanza after Tom Colella intercepted a pass thrown by Spec Sanders and ran it back 12 yards to the Yankee 41.

Motley picked up 16, Graham passed 11 to Special Delivery Jones and eight to Mickey Mayne as the Browns moved quickly to the 4. There Jones took the ball from Graham on a beautiful fake and went over standing up.

Sad Day for Sanders

It was a sad day for Sanders, who was hobbled by an ankle injury suffered in the final game of the regular season after leading the Yankees to the Eastern pennant.

The game was the first in 19 in which Sanders failed to score a touchdown or throw a touchdown pass.

The Yankees crossed the midfield stripe only three times all day, and their lone scoring opportunity came in the second period when Harvey Johnson booted a 12-yard field goal after a 62-yard march had bogged down six yards short of the end zone.

The 60,103 customers who paid their way into the park contributed to gross receipts of $209,820.50, of which $140,130.21 was left after the deduction of taxes and game expenses. Of the $98,091.14 in the players' pool, the Browns divided $47,083.75 and the Yankees collected $31,389.17. The winning players each drew $1,191.99 while the individual shares of the losers were $794.66

Meanwhile in the National league the Chicago Cardinals gained their first Western division crown by turning back the defending champion Bears, 30-21, while the Philadelphia Eagles tied the Pittsburgh Steelers for the lead in the Eastern half chase by clipping the Green Bay Packers, 28-14. In other games Washington thumped Boston, 40-13, and the Los Angeles Rams topped the New York Giants, 34-10

The Eagles meet the Steelers in Pittsburgh next Sunday in a playoff for the Eastern diadem with the winner then proceeding to Chicago to meet the Cards for the circuit championship Dec. 28.

SPORTS ROUNDUP

by Hugh S. Fullerton, jr

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—The first requirement for a man who runs a big league baseball farm system is a good memory. Red Rolfe, the former Yankee third baseman and Yale coach who recently took charge of Detroit's minor league operations, says the remarkable thing about the whole business is how his memory has improved since he has had to keep track of the players on a dozen clubs . . . The way Red tells it, he'll have to do a lot more remembering, because the Tigers are just beginning to rebuild a chain that was reduced to almost nothing—first by Judge Landis' famous ruling that freed about 90 farmhands, then the war and Jack Zoller's decision to get out of chainstore baseball . . . "We have a few good players way down," Rolfe says, "but none who will be up with Detroit soon. I haven't seen all the players yet, but I'd like to so I can have an idea of how good they are and won't have to depend so much on reports" . . . Sounds like a tough job, but Red insists: "I like this kind of work."

EXAMPLES of notably apt wording on various sport subjects:

Stanley Lowe, Marquette U. ticket director who is trying to satisfy the demand for the New Year's eve game with Wisconsin: "Now I know what it probably is like to be trapped in a pressure cooker."

Harold Keith, Oklahoma U publicity, "The Big Six basketball race was as wide open as Joe E Brown's mouth."

Red Smith, New York Herald-Tribune columnist, on Friday's bout between Ike Williams and Tony (The Clutch) Pellone: "Williams fought like a trout in a landing net."

BASKETBALL Results

By The Associated Press

Saturday Results

Kenyon 68, Hiram 47.
Baldwin-Wallace 70, Otterbein 39
Oberlin 37, Allegheny 34.
Ashland 65, Fenn 49.
Ohio Northern 55, Bluffton 33
Capital 54, Heidelberg 52
Manchester, Ind. 70, Findlay 56.
Ohio University 83, Marietta 44.
Toledo 71, Kalamazoo 48.
Toledo 87, Defiance 45.
Dayton 50, Youngstown 43
Morris Harvey 79, Cedarville 66
John Carroll 60, Detroit 41
Wittenberg 60, Georgetown, Ky., 58
Kentucky 67, Cincinnati 31.
Kent State 76, Muskingum 68.
Bowling Green 72, City College of New York 68.
Western Reserve 53, Wayne 43
Concordia Ind 79, Griffen 30.
Wooster 52, Wabash 37.

BIG NINE

Ohio State 53, Marquette 70
Minnesota 63, Nebraska 59
Notre Dame 61, Northwestern 55
Iowa 58, North Dakota 47.
Indiana 76, Carleton 42
Illinois 70, Pittsburgh 33.

HIGH SCHOOL

Findlay 39, Hamilton 27.
Lima Central 70, Defiance 27.
New Knoxville 59, Bluffton 32.
Canton Central Catholic 53, Cleveland Cathedral Latin 50.
Marion Harding 60, Delaware Willis 44
Springfield Catholic 47, Columbus St Marys 26
Akron North 44, Barberton 38.

WILBERFORCE TAKES 1ST "FRUIT BOWL" VICTORY

By The Associated Press

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 15—Wilberforce university of Xenia, O., yesterday picked a 26-0 triumph out of the first "Fruit Bowl," which held nothing but lemons for the overwhelmed football team of Prairie View university of Texas.

A pair of halfbacks alternating in the same position scored the four Wilberforce touchdowns. Walt Sellers of Ann Arbor, Mich., went over for the first on a 21-yard pass play from quarterback Fred Hall of Washington, D. C. Halfback Carl Baylor of Washington, D. C., scored the other three.

Prairie View never moved beyond Wilberforce's 25-yard marker.

DEBACCO, GRAUSS WIN 6-DAY BICYCLE RACE

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Angelo Debacco of Newark and Francis Grauss of France held the Cleveland Junior Chamber of Commerce trophy today for winning Cleveland's first six-day bicycle marathan since 1942.

Debacco, who learned to ride in Italy, and Grauss, competing in this country for the first time, broke a three-team tie and took a lap lead just an hour and a half before the 2,400-mile grind concluded early yesterday at Public Hall before 8,000 fans.

M'MILLEN LOSES TO HOUSE OF DAVID

Bearded Comedians Play Cat and Mouse with Locals.

Proving they were as good at basketball as at comedy, the House of David cagers beat the McMillen Feed Mill quintet, 51-40, in the Armory Sunday.

The David's spark plug, veteran guard Booby Roth, while performing ball-passing wizardy kept up a running fire of comment that kept a packed house laughing.

Pivot man "Long John" (seven foot three inch) Ludka tallied eight times on field goals and wasn't even trying His extra foot of neigath advantage makes him nearly impregnable under the basket

Frank Mekules and John Drew each netted six field goals for the Davids.

Carl Harbolt made five baskets to lead McMillen. Kenny Jones made four, and Bob Winterstetter, Tom Moran and Fritz Guy each made three.

After grabbing an early six point lead, never threatened during the game, the House of David settled down to their cat and mouse act, performing such antics as playing poker while allowing McMillen free rein on the floor, using a bucket for a basketball, and dressing Mekules in a union suit for their famous "hidden ball" trick So surprised were the Feeds that when the Davids were dealing out the cards, that Kenny Jones missed a basket and brought down the house in laughter

The game proved that basketball can do without the restrictions of calling fouls for minor body contact Because Davids carry but five men, minor foul-calling is done away with, and during this particular game, only two fouls were called, both on McMillen.

In a preliminary game, the Prospect All-Stars, led by Glen Kessler, beat the Claridon Ex-Highs, 38-30. Kessler made 17 points.

Merle Lashey and George Ruth each made nine for Claridon.

H. of D.—51	G	F	McMillen—40	G	F
Drew, f	6	1	Winterst'ler, f	3	0
Hecht, f	3	0	Harbolt, f	5	0
Ludka, c	7	0	Jones, f	4	0
Mekules, g	6	0	Moran, g	3	0
Roth, g	3	0	Shellhorn, g	0	0
			McCurdy, f	2	0
			Smith, f	0	0
			Lahner, c	0	0
			Guy, g	3	0
			Dutt, g	0	0
Total	25	1	Total	20	0

Score by quarters

House of David	14	3	16	12—51
McMillen	6	8	8	18—40

Prospect—38	G.	F.	Claridon—30	G.	F.
Kessler, f	8	1	G. Ruth	4	1
Thomas, f	1	1	Lashey	3	3
Smith, c	3	2	Price	0	1
Carr, g	1	0	Wickersham	2	1
Cochran g	3	0	Trout	0	0
Williams	0	0	J. Ruth	3	0
Oehler	0	1	Augenstein	0	0
Lauer	0	0			
Almendinger	0	1			
Total	16	6	Total	12	6

Score by quarters

Prospect	9	11	12	6—38
Claridon	5	2	9	14—30

A.A.F.C. Scans Brooklyn Financial Situation

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Having clarified the Chicago Rocket situation, clubowners in the All-America Football conference turned their attenion today to the Brooklyn problem before getting down to the business of drafting the college stars of the recent season.

Although Brooklyn's financial structures is not believed to be in as precarious a plight as that of the Rockets, whose franchise in the loop was terminated Saturday, there have been numerous hints that "fresh" money might be needed to insure a Dodger eleven next season.

Phillies' Harry Walker Hailed As N.L. Batting Champion with .363 Average

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK, Dec. 15—Harry Walker of the Philadelphia Phillies, who failed to make the grade with the Phils in 1939, was hailed today as the 1947 batting champion of the National league.

The brilliant Philly outfielder finished the past season with a lusty .363 mark, according to final official figures released by the league yesterday.

Walker, who played in 19 games with the St. Louis Cardinals before moving to the Phils where he performed in 130 more, collected 186 hits in 513 trips to the plate including a homer, 11 triples and 29 doubles. His 11 three-baggers also topped the loop.

Younger brother of the better known "Dixie", who was recently shipped from Brooklyn to Pittsburgh, Harry outdistanced Boston's Bob Elliott for the title by more than 40 points.

Elliott Hit .317.

Elliott, the league's most valuable player, batted .317. Chicago's Phil Cavarretta and Cincinnati's Augie Galan wound up in a tie for third place with .314 marks.

Rounding out the top ten are Ralph Kiner, Pittsburgh, fifth, .313; Stan Musial, St. Louis, sixth, .312; George Kurowski, St. Louis, seventh, .310; Tommy Holmes, Boston and Pete Reiser, Brooklyn, eighth, .309 and Dixie Walker, tenth, .306.

The 29-year old Harry was with the Phillies' spring training team in 1939 but was sent to Pensacola of the Southeastern league and released at the end of the 1939 season.

Kiner and New York's John Mize grabbed most of the slugging honors. Each banged 31 homers to share the lead in that department while Kiner hit for the most total bases, 361, and Mize batted in the most runs, 138, and scored the most, 137.

Individual Laurels.

Remaining individual laurels were gained by Eddie Miller of Cincinnati, Jackie Robinson of Brooklyn, Red Schoendienst of St. Louis and Holmes.

Miller collected the most doubles, 38; Robinson made the most sacrifices, 28, and stole the most bases, 29; Schoendienst went to bat the most times, 659, and Holmes garnered the most hits, 191, and the most singles, 146.

This Week's Basketball

MONDAY

Y.M.C.A. Monday Night League

Green Camp K. of P. vs. Schlairet Transfer.
McMillen Feed vs. Smith's Clothing.
Hensel Brothers vs. Marion Merchants.

TUESDAY

Marion St. Mary at Ashley.

County League

Kirkpatrick at Waldo.
Pleasant at Martel.
Caledonia at Claridon
New Bloomington at Prospect.
Morral at Green Camp.
Lakeue at Mecker.

Mid-State League

Carey at Richwood.

Other Games

Cardington at Lexington
Bucyrus at Crestline
Mt. Gilead at Johnsville

WEDNESDAY

Junior High School

Bucyrus at Central

THURSDAY

Junior High School

Edison at Galion.
St. Mary at Vernon.

Y.M.C.A. Thursday Night League

Universal Cooler vs. Sally Ann Inn.
Martel Elevator vs. Pollak Steel
Stones Grill vs. Commercial Steel.

FRIDAY

Mid-State League

Marysville at Richwood
Mt. Gilead at Carey.

County League

Waldo at Caledonia.
Pleasant at Kirkpatrick.
Claridon at Martel.
Prospect at LaRue.
Green Camp at New Bloomington
Mecker at Morral.

Other Games

Bucyrus at Galion.
Dayton Fairview at Kenton
Upper Sandusky at Shelby.
Edison at Chesterville.

SATURDAY

Marion Harding vs. Columbus West at Edison Junior High gym.

Varipapa Wins All-Star Individual Championship

By The Associated Press

CHICAGO, Dec. 15—Andy Varipapa of Hempstead, N. Y., is making bowling rivals who said he was a cutie, who couldn't be a champion, eat their words in big gulps.

Varipapa last night won his second straight National All-Star individual match game championship last night came in the last game of a four-tilt set with runner-up Joe Wilman of Chicago. Wilman took the first two games. But Handy Andy grabbed the third and with the $2,000 first prize riding on the last game, only shot Wilman 236 to 215. This gave Varipapa a 17-pin margin over Wilman, 13,448 to 13,431, for the 64 games.

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	NATIONAL	AMERICAN WMRN 1490	COLUMBIA WJR 760	MUTUAL WHKC 610
MONDAY (Night)				
5:00	Girl Marries	St. Mary Rptr	News	Hop Harrigan
5:15	Portia	Terry, Pirates	Lum & Abner	Superman
5:30	Plain Bill	J. Armstrong	Crisl'r of Mich	Capt. Midnight
5:45	Farrell	Sky King	Quartet	Tom Mix
6:00	Sunnyside Review	News	News	Bing Crosby
6:15	News	St'ries in Song	Tello-Test	Sween'y-Sports
6:30	Ram'na R'nd'zv'us	Let'rs to S'nta	Sports Parade	Bert Stille
6:45	Three Star Extra	Bing Crosby	Lowell Thomas	Santa Claus
7:00	Supper Club	Headline Edit	Beulah	Fulton Lewis
7:15	News	Up. Sand. Prog	Jack Smith	Top Mysteries
7:30	Jimmy Fidler	Lone Ranger	Club 15	H. J. Taylor
7:45	H. V. Kaltenborn	"	Murrow-News	Inside Sports
8:00	Cavalcade of	Sports Quiz	Inner Sanctum	Scotland Yard
8:15	America	Xmas Calendar	"	"
8:30	Howard Barlows	Opie Cates	Art. Godfrey	Charlie Chan
8:45		Show		
9:00	Telephone Hour	On Stage,	Radio Theater	Gabr'l Heatter
9:15	"	America	"	News-Music
9:30	Dr. I. Q.	Lead a Band	"	High Adv'nt're
9:45	"	"	"	"
10:00	Contented Hour	Freedom Train	Friend Irma	Fish-Hunt Cl'b
10:15		In Your Name		
10:30	Fred Waring	Music	Screen Guild	Tips & Tunes
10:45		"	"	"
11:00	News	News	News	News
11:15	Tune Reviewer	Club 1490	Crisl'r of Mich.	Orchestra
11:30	Dave Garroway	"	Guy Lombardo	Organ Dream
11:45	Show	"	"	"
TUESDAY (Day)				
7:00	World News	Downbeat at	News	Paul Frank
7:30	News, Weather	Dawn	Music Hall	Prayer Wings
8:00	Trailblazers	M. Agronsky	News	News
8:30	Morning Matinee	Over Coffee	Music Hall	Bible League
9:00	Morn. Matinee	Song Shop	Know America	Lig't'd Wind'w
9:30	Editor's Daughter	Break. Club	Mrs. Page	Eileen
10:00	Fred Waring	Claudia	Editor's Da'ter	Tr'uble Shoot'r
10:30	Road of Life	Betty Crocker	Evelyn Wint'rs	Stitchin Time
11:00	Nora Drake	Hollywood	Arthur Godfr'y	Markets
11:30	Jack Berch	Galen Drake	Grand Slam	Hearts Desire
12:00	Fifty Club	Farmer Hour	Wendy Warren	Kate Smith
12:30	Farm Hour	"	Helen Trent	News
1:00	Ernie Lee	News	Big Sister	Cedric Foster
1:30	Guiding Light	Society Page	Dr. Malone	Housewives
2:00	Today's Children	Mood Music	2nd Mrs. B'rt'n	Queen for Day
2:30	Holly Sloane	Bride & Groom	Stump Us	Martin Block
3:00	Life Is Beautiful	Ladies Be Seat	Double-N'thing	" "
3:30	Pepper Young	Paul Whitem'n	House Party	Stranger Song
4:00	Backstage Wife	" "	Hint Hunt	Tommy Dorsey
4:30	Lorenzo Jones	Mat. Variety	Anything Goes	Show
TUESDAY (Night)				
5:00	Girl Marries	U. Sand. Rptr.	Denman-News	Hop Harrigan
5:15	Portia's Life	Terry, Pirates	Lum & Abner	Superman
5:30	Plain Bill	J. Armstrong	Hockey R'p'rts	Capt. Midnight
5:45	Farrell	Sky King	Quartet	Tom Mix
6:00	Sylvia	News	News	Bing Crosby
6:15	News	Stories in Song	Bud Guest	Sports
6:30	Ram'na R'nd'zv'us	Let'rs to Santa	Bob Elson	Bert Stille
6:45	Three Star Extra	Bing Crosby	Lowell Thomas	Santa Claus
7:00	Supper Club	Headline Edit	Beulah	Fulton Lewis
7:15	Hollyw'd Theater	Up. Sand. Prog.	Jack Smith	Top Mysteries
7:30		C. Wagon Pals	Club 15	Newscope
7:45	Richard Harkness	Salon Concert	Edw'd. Murrow	Inside Sports
8:00	Milt'n Berle Show	Youth Asks	Big Town	Mysterious
8:15		Christmas Cal.		Traveler
8:30	Date with Judy	Town Hall	Mr.-Mrs. North	Official Detect.
8:45	"	of Air		
9:00	Amos and Andy	" "	We The People	Gabr'l Heatter
9:15		" "		News—Music
9:30	Fibber McGee-	Boston	Studio One	Zane Gray
9:45	Molly	Symphony	"	"
10:00	Bob Hope	"	" "	Am. Forum
10:15		"	" "	"
10:30	Red Skelton	Music	Open Hearing	Tips and Tunes
10:45	" "		"	"
11:00	News	News	News	All the News
11:15	Pulse of the Press	Club 1490	Hockey R'p'rts	Morton D'wney
11:30	Gardner Benedict	"	Charlie Spivak	Orchestra
11:45	" "	"	Orchestra	

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Mary Harris Armor W.C.T.U. Holds Meeting

The Mary Harris Armor union, W.C.T.U., met in the home of Mrs. J. E. Phillips Wednesday night in her home at 285 South Grand avenue. Group singing was led by Mrs. A. L. Wood and prayer was by Mrs. Irwin Jobe. Readings on Christmas themes were presented by Miss Margaret Huffman. Mrs. Jobe was in charge of business, and Mrs. C. Z. Zachman conducted devotions. It was voted to support the radio program, "Voice of Temperance," plans were made to fill a Christmas basket with food for the needy, and arrangements were made to assist with a Christmas party for the children's branch of W.C.T.U. Mrs. John Clark gave a talk on the recent state convention at Cleveland and Mrs. Zachman was appointed educational director for the union. Plans were made for contributing to a fund for sending a teacher to Evanston, Ill., next summer to enter a narcotics training school. A social hour followed. The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. Fred Ellery Jr. of 380 Bradford street.

MODERN SAINT NICK

By The Associated Press

CLEVELAND, Dec. 15—Reindeer aren't fast enough for the modern-day Santa Claus, Cleveland youngsters decided today. Saint Nick arrived for a pre-Christmas celebration in a helicopter yesterday and some 20,000 adults and children were on hand to greet him.

LEGAL NOTICE

Kenneth Cochenour whose last known address and place of residence is to the undersigned unknown and can not be ascertained, will take notice that on the 4th day of November, A. D. 1947, Katherine Cochenour filed her petition against him in the Court of Common Pleas at Marion, in the County of Marion, State of Ohio, praying that she be divorced from him on the grounds of Gross Neglect of Duty and of Extreme Cruelty to and toward her; that said cause will be for hearing in said court on or after January 2, 1948.

Case No. 25558.
KATHERINE COCHENOUR
Homer E. Johnson, Attorney.
Nov.24,Dec.1,8,15,22,29,1947.

LEGAL NOTICE

JERRY SPARLING, whose last known address and place of residence is Box 1542, Medford, Oregon, will take notice that on the 21st day of November, A. D. 1947, Joan Sparling by Dorothy Spears, her next friend, filed her petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Marion County, Ohio, praying that she be divorced from him on grounds of Gross Neglect of Duty and of Extreme Cruelty to and toward her and that said cause No. 25575 in said court will be for hearing thereon on or after January 2, 1948.

JOAN SPARLING
Nov.24,Dec.1,8,15,22,29,1947.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

Notice is hereby given that the Civil Service Commission of the City of Marion, Ohio, will hold an examination in the West Hall, Harding High School, Marion, Ohio, on Thursday, January 15th, 1948, at 7:30 o'clock P. M., for the following positions: Fire Department—Firemen. Information and blanks necessary for the above examination can be secured at the office of the Secretary, Room 16, 132 E. Center Street, 3rd floor, Marion, Ohio.

All applications must be on file with the Commission by 4 o'clock P. M. on Monday, January 5th, 1948.

Dated December 6th, 1947.
James E. Messenger, Chairman.
Dec.8,15,1947.

WANT ADS DIAL 2314

LOCAL WANT AD RATES

	1 Time	3 Times	6 Times
Three lines	42c	96c	$1.44
Each extra line	14c	32c	48c

Minimum charge three lines.

Ads not ordered for consecutive insertions will be charged at the one time rate each time.

Charged ads in Marion and Marion rural routes only will be received by telephone and mail.

Ads ordered for three or six days and stopped before expiration will only be charged for the number of times the ad appeared and adjustment made at the rate earned. The publisher reserves the right to edit or reject any ads deemed objectionable.

2—LODGE NOTICES

Marion Council No. 22 R. and S. M. Stated assembly Wednesday, Dec. 17th. Royal and Select Masters degree. Potluck dinner 6:30 p. m.

Another big meeting Wednesday night. All members should attend.

Improved Order of Redmen Tuesday, Dec. 16, 8:00 p. m. Democratic Hall.

Lydia Chapter No. 83 O. E. S. Regular meeting Monday, Dec. 15th, 7:30 p. m.

3—SPECIAL NOTICES

AUNT Susie will be delighted with Fina Foam for Christmas. It cleans rugs and upholstery. Marion Paint Company.

EARL STRICKLER
Auto — Fire — Hospitalization
Dial 4662. 279 W. Columbia.

SPIRELLA—Three brand new materials. Some materials same price. Mrs. Slane. Dial 3636.

GLENN JOHNSON
and his orchestra. Special entertainers for banquets and parties. Dial 9955. 860 Bellefontaine.

BOB HINAMAN
FARM BUREAU INSURANCE
Fire — Life — Auto
Office Dial 5217. Res. 1159 E. Center

EMPIRE Crafts Corporation announces the appointment of Miriam C. Cheney of 232 Hane Ave. as Club Director for the Nobility Club. All old Nobility Club members who have not completed their clubs and wish to contact the Director may dial 1551 or write to the above address. Order at once for Christmas delivery.

Bond Studio
Photographs delivered before Christmas. Call any time. No appointments. Open until 9 p. m. We have 18 years' experience at photography. Permanently located at 195 Dix Ave.

RENT A NEW TRUCK OR CAR DRIVE YOURSELF
Local and Long Distance
356 W. Center St. Dial 2150.

OLDAKER MARATHON SERVICE GAS, OIL, LUBRICATION and WASH

Do You Have Superfluous Hair?

If you have superfluous hair on your face, arms or legs, you know how unhappy it has made you. The only treatment to permanently remove hair that is not wanted is by Electrolysis, or the use of the electric needle. This method is the only one endorsed by physicians and doctors the world over, ask your doctor and he will tell you this. I use the latest equipment, the multiple Kree System, and the Brantronic Short Wave System. I am a graduate of the Medical Dept. of the Cleveland Academy of Cosmetic Therapy, and a licensed electrolysis by the State Medical Board. All answers in plain envelopes. Don't put this off, a card or letter will bring you further information, if you will write to Dr. Emma Durr, C. T. 719 Rogers St., Bucyrus, Ohio. Write today.

—Rug Weaving—
Notice—Old and new costumers. $1.00 per yard—effective Jan. 1. Mrs. James Price. Dial 4532.

4—PLACES TO GO

BODLEY'S Bar-B-Q. N. Main St. Open for business. Dancing Wednesdays, Saturdays and Sundays.

White Swan Tavern
Dancing Nightly 9 to 12
2 miles south, State Route 4.

5—TRAVEL & TRANSPORTATION

WHY not leave the car at home and ride the city buses. They're safe and have convenient schedules. The cash fare or seven tokens for 50c.

6—LOST AND FOUND

WILL the party who picked up black and tan hound pup in front of my home please return it to 132 Klerx St.

LOST—Wallet of discharged veteran. Contained money and valuable papers. In business district. Reward. C. R. Gruber, 269 Blaine Ave. Dial 2682.

LOST—Sunday, hub cap off of a 1947 Buick. Dial 2625 days, 4297 evenings.

FOUND—Toy Terrier dog. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for ad. Dial 3893.

8—MALE HELP WANTED

COUNTER man for sandwich shop. Will teach young man willing to learn. Good opportunity for a G. I. Management opportunity. Write Box 52 care Star.

"Trailercoach Dealer Wanted"
Company now distributing ten brands of trailer coaches is interested in establishing a dealer in Marion. Applicants are requested to write, or if possible attend the trailer show, Sunday, December 14th, at Bateman's Sales and Service, State and Mahoning, Alliance, Ohio.

WANTED—A janitor for light work. Eight hours a day. Permanent job for the right man. See Mr. Haberman, Midtown Chevrolet Co.

ALL around body and fender repair man. Dial 4121.

OPENING FOR SENIOR DRAFTSMAN
Permanent position. Light office. Good starting pay. Paid vacation. Apply PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT.
UNIVERSAL COOLER DIVISION
INTERNATIONAL DETROLA CORP.

8—MALE HELP WANTED

TWO LICENSED FIREMEN
Steady work—good conditions—high hourly rate. Vacation with pay. Apply at PERSONNEL DEPARTMENT
UNIVERSAL COOLER DIVISION
INTERNATIONAL DETROLA CORP.

TWO experienced sheet metal men. Good pay. Excellent working conditions. Dial 5788 evenings. Davis Heating and Ventilating.

New and Used Car SALESMAN
Experience helpful but not necessary. Must know Marion city and county thoroughly. Reliable and steady person only. One of Marion's BIG THREE new car agencies. Write Box 63, care The Marion Star.

EXPERIENCED MECHANIC
for night work. Must have own tools and furnish references.
FLEET SERVICE GARAGE
Corner W. Church—Park Blvd.

SALESMAN to sell Rusco all metal self storing combination windows in Marion county. Excellent opportunity for first class salesman. For personal interview write Box 36, The Star.

Permanent Employment
For man 18-30 years. In warehouse and stock room of expanding business. Apply in person. Probst Supply Co. 204 E. Center.

YOUNG MAN
for general office work. Some knowledge of mechanical drawing necessary.
Clark Metal Products Co.
Dial 7244 or Dial 2073 after 5 p. m.

ATTENTION
Men Who Want to Work

We need grinders and laborers at once. Willing workers who are able to show ability and can advance rapidly. We pay a good starting rate and higher rates are made as you progress. If you are not a steady worker don't apply.

Apply at Guard Office at end of Rose Avenue.

The Alloy Cast Steel Company

BOYS
You can make extra money for Christmas by selling The Marion Star on the street. You should be around 14 years of age, so if interested see LeRoy Grate, Marion County Bank Corner after 4 p. m.
The Marion Star

9—FEMALE HELP WANTED

Stenographer
The Baker Wood Preserving Co.
Dial 2379.

GIRL for clerical work, with some knowledge of bookkeeping. Apply Hotel Harding. Auditor's office.

Experienced Cashier
Apply Wise's Super Market 879 E. Center.

EXPERIENCED bookkeeper and stenographer to start after January 1st. Preferably with credit store experience. Give all details in first letter. Write Box 32, care Star.

Excellent Opportunity
Secretarial
Position
Good starting salary. Must be experienced in handling secretarial work.
APPLY IMMEDIATELY Mr. Weary, employment office, Universal Cooler Division of International Detrola Corp., Mary St. entrance, Marion, O.

9—FEMALE HELP WANTED

WAITRESS
Elite Restaurant
[illegible] W. Center.

Waitress
[illegible] Restaurant. [illegible]

11—SITUATIONS WANTED

EXPERIENCED married farm hand wants work [illegible] Johnston, Route [illegible] phone [illegible] Delaware, Ohio.

13—SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

PLASTICS
Start own business. Complete practical home training with working kits, materials furnished. Send name, address with ad. Plastics Tech, 6200 Euclid Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

WINTER TERM
STARTING JANUARY 5
Enroll now for Day and Evening Classes
New Courses Being Offered
The Marion Business College
Night Classes on Monday and Thursday evenings
Dial 2767 or 5457. J. F. Barker, Pres.

14—BUSINESS SERVICES

Notice
For Inlaid linoleum see The Carl's Linoleum Service. Dial [illegible] 191 W. Center.

SAW SHOP
All types saws filed and gummed. 142 Fies Ave. Dial [illegible]

For Refrigeration Service
Call C. H. Robinson. Dial [illegible]

Marion Window Cleaning Co.
Dial 2258.

Washing Machine Service
White Wringer Rolls
Parts for all makes. Dial 4311
Roy McCombs 819 Merkel Ave.

Fur Restyling
cleaning, glazing, repairing
Larye Furs, 199 W. Center. Dial 7985

The Triple Service Co.
Electrical Construction and Repair
Dial 5110.

Electric Sweeper Repair
Authorized PREMIER Service
Service any make cleaner
1014 E. Church Dial 7111

Dump Truck — General Hauling
Good Ohio coal—any amount
STAR WELDING & MACHINE SHOP
257 Fahey St. Dial 6347.

Save
Your Home Investment with
Extermital
Termite
Guaranteed Service
L. R. Amrine & Sons
Licensed Operator
Dial 8179.

Rubbish and Light Hauling
Ralph Camm. Dial 6868.

EXPERT shoe repairing and hat cleaning. Best shines in Marion. BILL and JOHN JEVAS 177 N. Main St.

RUBBER STAMPS made to order —any size or copy wanted. Prompt service. WIANT'S 120 S. Main.

Delivery and Light Moving
425 Milburn Dial 8143.

Sewers — Drains
Roots removed by electric machine. Lester Iams. Dial 5061 after 6 p. m.

Floor Sanding and Finishing
Work guaranteed. Estimates free. R. C. LaMaster. Dial 7121.

Stone Hauling and Spreading
L. R. AMRINE & SONS
Dial 8179.

ALL kinds of carpenter, brick and cement work.
158 Decatur. Dial 9830

Dial 2798 — 25c up
Speedy Delivery

HOME Repairs—Interior painting—Furniture spray painted.
MALONEY CRAFT SHOP
268 S. Main St. Dial 2768

FLOOR SANDING
Place your order now if you want your floor sanded this spring. Free estimate. Dial 142-3722

Acme Welding & Mfg. Co.
COMPLETE SERVICE
666 Woodrow. Dial 8148.

Sewer Work
Of all kinds. Dial 2951.

GENERAL hauling, coal hauled by load $9.00 ton.
119 Latourette St.

Rubbish — Local Moving
Also stone, cinders and top soil. Fill-In dirt and manure. Call Windy Darnell, 2596.

LAMP shades made to order. Antique laces and cut glass made into lamps. Hoctor Studios, Mt. Gilead, Ohio. (Williamsport). Phone Mt. Gilead 144R31.

Deitsch Delivery
Dial 2990. 25c up.

Glass cut—installed MARION Plate and Window Glass
142 N. Main. Dial 8123

Will steam off wall Paper
Dial 8852.

Maintenance Service
Remodeling — Repairing
KENNETH NARANCE
266 W. Columbia. Dial 6654.

HOME PRINT S[illegible]
We have served Marion [illegible] good printing for 24 [illegible]
Dial 2314. [illegible] St.

ALL kinds of sewer work and laying blocks. Cement work.
Dial 5456.

PLASTERING
complete job or patch
Arch building. Dial 8478
716 E. Farming St.

Pest Control
TERMITES
Free Inspection
Conservative Estimates
No Obligations
LANE'S SUPPLY CO.
463 W. Center. Dial 2878.

RADIOS REPAIRED
D. A. BROWN RADIO SERVICE
125 E. Church. Dial 2277

FOR HOOVER SALES & SERVICE Dial 3124 Frank Bros. Store, or Verl Endsley at 702 Darius St.—Dial 2870, or D. D. Dix—872 E. Church St.—Dial 8507.

Commercial Refrigeration
and Electrical Service
LAWRENCE MORSE
548 Avondale Ave. Dial 2835.

Floor Sanding—Refinishing
Dial 5214.

Roto-Rooter Sewer and Drains
Thoroughly cleaned without unnecessary digging or muss. Economical. Free estimates.
Phone 2016

SPEED QUEEN
Washers $99.95
Ironers $54.95 to $154.95
Filter Queen Sweepers
SALES / SERVICE
White wringer rolls — parts and service for most makes of washers. We pick up and deliver.
Dial 7922.
Liberal Trades — Easy Terms
BEARD APPLIANCE
N. Main St.—¼ mile north of corporation. Open evenings.

Service While You Wait
D'Amato Shoe Service. 148 N. Main.

14—BUSINESS SERVICES

For Snappy Delivery
[illegible] Dial [illegible]

Septic Tanks Cleaned
[illegible]
Odorless Sanitary Cleaners
[illegible] Cheney Ave.

Lime — Stone
Hauled and Spread
Don [illegible] Fies Ave. Dial 2215.

[illegible] STORM WINDOWS
FREE estimate, 36 months to pay. No down payment. Applicators [illegible] Phone [illegible]

PATCH PLASTERING
Dial 6813

16—BEAUTY AND BATH

WANT a [illegible] wave [illegible] 247 S. [illegible]

PERMANENTS [illegible] up. No appointment [illegible] Beauty Shop [illegible]

Machine and Machineless Waves [illegible] BEAUTY SHOP
Dial [illegible] 818 Davids St.

[illegible] permanent wave [illegible] Frances [illegible] Beauty Shop 129 Olney Ave. Dial 1551.

ALL permanents [illegible] shampoo and fingerwave.
[illegible] Beauty Shop. Dial 5110.

BEAUTY CORNER
Hazel Erskine 716 Bain. Dial 2275.

Elite Beauty Shop
123 E. Center. Dial 7916

Permanents
Special Oil Waves. Machine and Machineless. We specialize in the Feather CUT.

RUZZO'S
Dial [illegible] Next to Ohio Theater.

Specials on Lanolin Oil Permanents, [illegible] The Lolasha Beauty Shop [illegible] W. Center. Dial 2080.

PERMANENT BEAUTY SALON
Arizona Thomas Majorie Blaum
277 S. Main Dial 5143

LOWINGER'S Beauty Shop, 574 E. Center St. Specializes in permanent waving of fine and difficult hair. Dial 2672.

Neva Grace Beauty Shop
638 N. Prospect. Dial 2957.

17—CLEANING AND WET WASH

CURTAINS and lace table cloths laundered. Also ironings done.
589 Polk St. Dial 5290.

DURING Christmas rush—save time—do your laundry completely at the Laundromat, 142 S. Prospect St. Dial 8111.

Moore's Cleaners 196 E. George, for expert cleaning. We call for and deliver.

2 Hour Cleaning
SPOTLESS CLEANERS
4 Hour Laundry
Dial 7477
SPOTLESS CLEANERS
249 W. Center.

19—PAINTING, PAPERHANGING

Painting and Decorating
Frank Statzer. Dial 5939.

INTERIOR DECORATING
Frank Martin. Dial 6324

Painting and Paperhanging
F. E. Kibler. Dial 9048.

Interior Decorating
Dale Orr. Dial 9750.

Marion Decorators
Dial 8792

20—HEATING, PLUMBING, ROOFS

R. M. BURKHARD
Plumbing and Heating
Dial 9396.

Clapsaddle Plumbing Service
Repairs — New Installations
661 Mary St. Dial 9425
H. J. and W. J. Clapsaddle

Spouting and Roofing
Also furnace work—free estimates
H. A. Miller. Dial 2972.

22—MOVING, STORING, PACKING

WE can make moving pleasant and simple by providing expert service at low cost.

MARION CARTAGE
Dial 2611—2028.

Moving — Storage — Packing
WRIGHT TRANSFER CO.
We give real service. Dial 4287.

STORE your possessions in our FIREPROOF WAREHOUSE!

MERCHANT'S
Transfer & Storage Co.
180 E. Mill. Dial 4281-4282.

SAVE YOUR MONEY
MOVE yourself. Use a trailer.
"U-RENT-A-TRAILER" CO.
197 S. Prospect. Dial 2169.

Moving Services
Local and long distance. May we help you with your moving job? Six rooms moved in city for $20. Large van. 17 years' experience. Also will haul Christmas furniture.

Smith Trucking
John C. Smith
231 Park Blvd. Dial 2984.

23—BUILDING—MODERNIZING

WARDS TILEBOARD:

Modernizes kitchen or bath; quickly, easily and inexpensively! Enjoy glossy, easy to clean wall surfaces . . . Eliminate redecorating for all time! Easily installed. Five popular colors. 4 ft. x 4 ft. sheet $6.25. Aluminum Wall Tile in individual tiles, 5 in. square. Nine different colors—28c per sq. ft. Free estimates.

MONTGOMERY WARD

24—GIFT SUGGESTIONS

RADIOS Make a Nice Gift
MAJESTIC, HALLICRAFTERS AND CROSLEY
HARDEN'S
"Musical Merchandise"
178 S. Main. Dial 2004.

All Metal Ironing Tables
Field Glasses — Binoculars
Indoor, Outdoor Thermometers
R. D. LUKE HARDWARE
Hardware for the Farm and Home

CLEARANCE SALE
All gift items, toys and electrical appliances at cost price.
Jimmie's Sales & Service
600 Bellefontaine Ave.
Open until 8 p. m. every night 'til Christmas.

OUT OF PAWN ITEMS—Watches, diamonds, clothing and many other gifts for Christmas. Save at
THELBERN'S LOAN CO.
132 N. Main. 8 a. m.-9 p. m. Dial 2839.

ELECTRIC train, Erector set. Christmas lights and toys.
235 W. Church.

24—GIFT SUGGESTIONS

See Our Line and Save Money
[illegible]
Toys Tools
Electrical Appliances
Open until 9:00 p. m.
Robbins Electric Company
[illegible] St.
Bucyrus, Ohio

WHY NOT MAKE IT BEAUTIFUL Christmas [illegible] Shepherd puppies AKC registered. St. [illegible] Turkey Farm, three miles west on Rt. 30.

For Christmas
Cedar Chests
Caloric Gas Ranges
Stewart-Warner Radios
Apex Washers
Chenille Spreads
Howell Chrome Breakfast Sets
Chairs—all kinds
Simmons Sofa Beds
Apex Sweepers
Electronic Blankets
Upholstered High Chairs
We're all set to make this your best Christmas you ever had. Open every night.
Scherff's Wayside FURNITURE
958 S. Prospect St.

FOR CHRISTMAS
Give a Eureka
Upright or tank type vacuum cleaner.
Daugherty Appliance
193 W. Center. Dial 2668

Cacti and Succulents
Over 50 varieties from the up. Miniature gardens made to order. Dial 5055 for appointment. Treila Haldeman 652 N. Greenwood St.

Singer's Christmas
SPECIAL

We have a number of two drawer sewing cabinets, attractively designed in mahogany and walnut. These cabinets make ideal end tables when used in pairs or as a night stand or telephone stand. 'Til Christmas these cabinets will sell at $21.50.

THE IDEAL GIFT FOR MOTHER
Your Singer Sewing Center
159 S. Main. Marion, Ohio

Have You Seen ELLERY'S
Christmas cards, wrappings and gifts? Religious goods and pictures.
We do personalizing on all gifts.
173 S. Main. Dial 2910.

FOR Christmas give an Air-Way Sanitizor, the complete cleaner. Immediate delivery and easy terms. Call R. E. Lesch. Dial 4629. 288 S. State.

CAMPBELL
Christmas List
FOR THE MEN FOLKS
Hydraulic Easy Ride Seats for Most Tractors, $29.95.
5-Ton Hydraulic Jack. Always good on a farm, $15.25.
¼" Electric Drill. A wonderful gift, $34.95
Small Radio Crosley. Get one for the barn, $17.95.
Good Paint Sprayer Complete Outfit, $14.25.
Power Lawn Mower. Our Best, $119.50.
Big Bucket Grease Gun with Hose, $28.45.
Spotlight for Truck or Car, $17.95.
Water Heater for the Milk House, $61.50.
196 S. Prospect St. Dial 2160.

CHECK
Bain's Christmas List of Useful Gifts

Hammered aluminum trays — many styles to choose from — one low price—$3.25; Satin finished aluminum ice bucket and tongs, $1.45; Easy flip toasters — a real gift value at $3.95. Heavy duty aluminum kitchen utensils at extremely low prices.

Electric irons — steam irons — pressure cookers—electric roasters—clocks—radios—Schick and Sunbeam shavers—G. E. electric blankets. You'll find a gift for every member of the family — at Bain's.

The J. D. Bain Co.
Prospect Ohio.

25—WEARING APPAREL

TWO men's suits, tan sport coat, finger-tip coat, all size 38. Like new. Too small for owner. Dial 6374.

MAN'S dark blue suit, size 40. Excellent condition. $18. Also man's dark brown reversible coat, $10. Dial 3722.

TWO piece chartreuse silk velvet dress, size 10. Worn one time, $10. Two piece summer weight yellow linen dress, size 16, worn one time, $10. Black and white check taffeta dress, full skirt, size 9, $5. Two piece, of black linen skirt and grey polka dot blouse, size 10, $5. Four wool skirts 24 inch waist, $2 each. Too small for owner. 292 Bellevue.

GIRL'S ice skates, size 4 and 7. Girl Scout uniform, coats, formals, raincoats, suits, skirts and dresses, size 10 and 12. 347 Lafayette.

DOUBLE breasted tuxedo suit, size 36. Call evening.
221 Elm St.

YOUNG man's navy blue jacket, red plaid lining, size 20. Lady's navy blue coat, size 20. Dial 3361.

GIRL'S red Chesterfield coat and legging set, size 7. 832 Wood St. Dial 5473.

LADY'S black coat with brown fur collar, size 40. Like new, $12.
221 Belmont.

ALL wool snow suit, brown leggings, red plaid jacket, size 12. Like new. 815 Mt. Vernon Ave. Dial 2457.

26—MISCELLANEOUS SALES

ROOFING
Asphalt Shingles and Roll Roofing
Roll Brick Siding
[illegible]
Baldauf & Schlientz, Inc.
[illegible] N. Greenwood. Dial 4171.
Thirty-third Year.

[illegible] good lumber. Good stalk, [illegible] two buffets, baby [illegible] coats. [illegible] Patton St.

[illegible] roller skates with case, shoe ice skates [illegible] and [illegible] overcoat, ages [illegible] S. Prospect. Call evenings.

[illegible] Shoe skates, size [illegible] $5.00. Girl's brown [illegible] coat, size 12, $5.00. Dial 7114.

[illegible] electric stove in good condition [illegible]

SOFA [illegible] steam table. Dial 2928 or inquire Marion [illegible]

[illegible] Christmas [illegible]

STEEL [illegible] buildings [illegible] $[illegible] Fire Dept. Barns, garages, [illegible] tools and rafters on [illegible] Also other buildings. Dietsch Brothers Lumber Co., 2160 Main, Springfield, Ohio. Box 634. Open Sunday 12 to 4.

MERCURY outboard motors, sales, service. New and used motors and Indian boats. Robinson Garage, 152 Waterloo St.

RADIOS, ice skates, watches, electric heaters, suits, topcoats, cameras. Joe's Pawn Shop, 156 W. Center.

WHITE shoe ice skates, also [illegible] new. 812 Barks Ave.
Dial 4121.

FULLER BRUSH CO.
Sales Immediate Delivery
Ray Bonnette 812 Sugar St.
Dial 3512.
L. W. Dix, 863 W. Church. Dial 1114
C. L. Doll, 326 Pearl. Dial 8738.

TROPICAL FISH—Aquatic plants, aquariums, heaters and thermostats, fish supplies. Moore's Aquarium, 315 N. Main St., Kenton, Ohio.

GENTLEMAN'S DIAMOND — 1¼ carat with six small cut diamonds on sides, mounted for $1150.00. Will sell reasonable. Box 22 The Star.

32 V. Delco light plant with batteries, motors and equipment. Reasonable. One mile north, ½ mile east of Martel Clean Stakes.

FOUR foot sled. Good condition. 187 S. Soffner Ave.
Dial 6587

GIRL'S roller skates, size 4½, $12.00. Girl's ice skates, size 1½, $9.00. 227½ W. Center, Apt. 8.

Close Out Of Toys
HARDEN'S
"Musical Merchandise"
178 S. Main. Dial 2004.

Noma Christmas Tree Bubble Lights $3.80 Set
CLEVENGER & PARISH
Blue Sunoco Service Station
Just north of city limits on State Routes 4 and 23

Food Freezer Lockers
Come in and see the new Delaval Freezers; we now have both types on hand. Also Deep Freeze Lockers from 8 cu. ft. up.
Farmers Implement Co.
216-218 N. Main. Dial 7252.

Plumbing Fixtures
Bath tubs and stools. Lavatories—electric or gas hot water heaters. Contract or hour rate. Free estimates. Dial 9799.
G. W. Miller & Sons

EMERY grinder for sale. Also large low implement trailer for rent. Dial 2067.

Fire Extinguishers Sales and Service
Literature mailed on request. Dial 6722 or write Carrol J. Pickering, 369 Park Blvd.

WATKINS SPORT SUPPLY at Prospect offers customers "The Best for Less." No Premium prices here — Your $1 buy $1 worth. Gun, rod, reel repair service, prompt, efficient. Phone 15 Prospect.

LATHES, drill presses, electric motors and other equipment reasonable. Also steel plate bars, etc. MARION IRON & METAL CO. Dial 5168. Rear Lincoln Hotel, W. Center St.

Septic Tanks
COUNTY approved, concrete reinforced. Dial 4398. 7769 residence, Office 2955. Bibler Burial Vault Co.

FEED SACKS, 26 beautiful patterns in dress prints. Starcher's Turkey Farm, three miles west on Route 30.

SOLVE your summer screen and screen door problems and your winter's heat loss problem with one installation of ALSCO ALUMINUM Combination windows and doors. Free estimate without obligation. Dial 7244—ALSCO INC., 130½ E. Main St.

SEVEN kinds of gasoline and hot water heaters and defrosters for cars. From $7 to $35. We install all kinds. Another lot of ¼ and 1/2 h. p. new and used motors from $8 to $36. Nice selection of rifles, shotguns and pistols from $2 to $135.

R. L. YOUNG & SONS
Pure Oil Service Store
Corner N. Main and Mark
Dial 2757.

FIVE ft. cast iron porcelain enamel bath tub. Tuxedo size 40. Dial 6302.

SAVE fuel with WEATHER-SEAL storm windows and doors.
126½ S. Main. Dial 4161.

EASTMAN camera, electric train transformer, Erector set, one dozen pure linen napkins 24x24.
Dial 6228.

BUTCHER SUPPLIES and Refrigeration
Grocery and Meat Market Equipment
See A. A. Stein—197 Elm St.
Dial 7619.

55-GALLON anti-freeze and oil drums, $1.50.
McKinney Motor Sales
274 N. Main. Dial 15531.

DOOR and porch protection of endurance and beauty.
Aluminum Awning Co. of Marion
P. O. Box 131 or Dial 6521.

WHITE gold diamond ring. Also pony cape, in excellent condition. Phone LaRue 18321.

BABY buggy, with mat, in good condition. Cheap.
378 N. Main St.

WIRING SUPPLIES
14-2 Romex 5c ft.
6-3 Entrance Cable 30c ft.
Switch and Outlet Boxes
Combination Entrance Switches
Weatherproof Wire
R. D. LUKE HARDWARE
Hardware for Farm and Home.

Kitchen Cabinets
Wood working of all kinds
Bon-Neff Cabinet Shop
Dial 32181.

NO FARMER needs relief who depends on want ads to sell his stock. need. used farm machinery.

27—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

USED furniture and other household needs—priced to sell. Rear of 732 E. Center or 141 N. Seffner.

1947 ZENITH console floor model radio with FM. Dial 6615.

STOP

See and compare the Hallicrafter radio, phonograph console radios. $159.95 up

HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004

Visit our radio lounge
Before buying your radio.
Daugherty Appliance
193 W. Center Dial 2658.

BENCH saw complete. New baguette wrist watch and dresser set. Dial 82502

Radio Consoles
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004

ONE white breakfast set, one white kitchen safe. Lots of dishes, pots and pans in good condition. 218 N. Grand Ave.

ANTIQUES
We Buy and Sell
151 N. Main St. Dial 2451

19 NEW radios. Small and combination, 25 to 40 % off. M. H. Calhoun, E. B. Trailer Park, 710 Clay St., off of State Route 30 north, Galion, O.

METAL Venetian blinds, made to your measurements. May be had with removable slots for easy cleaning — only 45c per square foot—minimum charge 10 square feet. KLINE'S, 150 W. Center.

HOT BLAST Florence heatrola, 23" fire bowl. 276 Lincoln. Dial 1530.

FURNISHINGS FOR YOUR HOME
Make the Ideal Christmas Gifts
Full line of new, modern furniture on hand at all times.
Also we carry the best in used furniture.
SEE FRED AND SAVE
Fred's Furniture Store
227 N. Main. Dial 2859.

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Many new Christmas gifts for the whole family.
Very large stock of everything for the home, new and used. 395 W. Center from 10 a. m. to 8 p. m. Dial 2740.

Fine Selection of Used Radios
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HURRY!
Speed Queen washer and Speed Queen portable ironer for only $159.90
Limited Supply
One good used washer, $25.
Beard Appliance
N. Main St., ¾ mile north of Corporation. Open evenings. Dial 2833

Special Bargains
$289.95 six-piece bedroom suite, cut to $240.00
$219.50 two-piece, turquoise frieze living room suite, cut to $160.00.
$39.50 289 coil guaranteed inner-spring mattresses cut to $30.00 this week only.
Cut down your Christmas expense by buying at the
The Caledonia Furniture Store
Caledonia, Ohio
Store hours 10 a. m. to 9 p. m. Monday through Friday. 10 a. m. to 10 p. m. Saturday
Cash or terms
Free Delivery.

EIGHT-PIECE walnut dining room suite, pre-war, excellent condition, latest style, walnut Governor Winthrop desk. Dial 9131. 913 Barks Ave.

PHILCO combination radio and victrola with records, like new. Also small Silvertone. 235 N. Grand.

TABLE MODEL
Radio-Phono Combination
Walnut veneer—5 tube
Regular $79.50—Special $48.75

½, ¾ and 1¼ inch galvanized pipe.
Crawbaugh Hardware
113 N. Main.

PURDY SAYS
Kitchen cabinets, cupboards, utility cabinets, breakfast sets, drop-leaf extension tables, lots of walnut furniture, gas, coal, electric and oil heaters, coal range, electric, bottle gas and apartment gas range, washing machine half beds, clothes dryer, bed screen, drop-head sewing machine like new, good chest of drawers, stove pipe, Haviland china covered dish, good silverware, some antiques, traveling bags and trunks.
151 N. Main Dial 2771.
C. B. Purdy, Auctioneer.

DETROIT Jewel all-white table-top gas range like new. Reasonable. Chris Cline, 37 W. High, Ashley, Ohio.

LET Col. F. E. Williams feather your nest with new or used furniture, small down payment, a year to pay. Free storage. 135 Mill St. Dial 2786.

OPEN Wednesday and Saturday evenings. R. and H. Floor and Wall Coverings, 41 N. Main St., Mt. Gilead, Ohio.

Big Bargain Sale
New living room suites, nice ones, $80 — you get an extra chair free with this deal. Don't miss it. Nice table-top gas ranges, slightly used. We have base rockers, rocking chairs, utility cabinets, studio davinos, size walnut secretary desk, single bed complete, new mattresses and springs, chest of drawers, nice ones, electric mixers, one nice chrome dinette, a swell one; movie camera with screen—100-foot reel. We have heating stoves, gas stoves, china cabinets, odd chairs, floor lamps, table lamps, radios, record players, pretty dishes and china. In fact, 1001 articles that would take too much space to list all. If you are looking for good clean merchandise don't miss this private sale, as you can buy these articles *just as cheap as if you would buy* them at auction. We will be open 'til 9:00 every night until Christmas. Lots of merchandise coming in every day. We buy and sell.
Buy's Auction and Furniture Store
701 N. Main. Dial 2901.

SUNBEAM and American Beauty irons, electric clocks, pressure cookers.

Green Camp Hdw.
Open Every Evening
Dial 143-7411.

Used Furniture and Stoves
McELHANEY'S
119 N. State. Dial 2863.

27—HOUSEHOLD GOODS

KARNAK rug, a rated Wilton [illegible]

DUO-THERM OIL HEATERS [illegible] Dial 2459

BALL HOME FREEZER JARS
Just the thing for frozen foods. Also [illegible] bags and [illegible] wrapping paper.
CAMPBELL FARM SUPPLY
COMPLETE HARDWARE STORE
196 S. Prospect. Dial 2166.

Floor model radio, $20. [illegible]

[illegible]

One stove in good condition $15. Dial 2769 [illegible]

KELVINATOR and Coolerator electric refrigerators. [illegible] Servel gas. Immediate delivery. Terms. Farmers Supply, Richwood, Ohio.

WASHERS — In stock, Maytag, Speed Queen, Easy, Blackstone and Horton. Liberal trade. Terms. Farmers Supply, Richwood, Ohio.

FURNACES
COAL — OIL — GAS
We can give you heat within 48 hours.
OIL FLOOR FURNACES
HOT WATER HEATERS
SMOKE PIPE ELBOWS
AUTOMATIC FURNACE CONTROL
Oil Circulating Heaters
Gas Circulating Heaters
ADMIRAL
RADIOS, RADIO PHONOGRAPHS—REFRIGERATORS—SWEEPERS
LAUNDERALL AUTOMATIC WASHING MACHINE
Arctic Heating Co.
179 N. Main Dial 2169

NORGE, Deluxe electric refrigerator, 5 cu. ft. Excellent condition. Dial 5050 evenings.

OPEN TILL 9 P. M.
CHRISTMAS
SUGGESTIONS

Radios	$17.95 up
Automatic Irons	6.95 up
Coffee Makers	3.45 up
Vacuum Cleaners	35.50 up

Presteline Ranges $283.10
Rex Electric Co.
142 N. State. Dial 2046.
Juke Box Records—20c each

9x12 all-over pattern velvet rug. Black with roses. Good condition, $50. Dial 3091. 15 Garden St.

SET of dishes. Service for eight. Never been used. In original box. Make a nice Christmas gift. 359 W. Church

ZENITH console floor model radio in good condition. Also table model combination radio and victrola. Like new. 332 Cummins Ave.

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Beatty's 10-Day Sale
Of genuine choice ANTIQUES, many of which, were formerly, (long ago) owned by early Marion families—refinished and beautiful—No looker ever saw a more handsome, full size, hand carved, solid *black walnut bed—walnut wash* stand with a perfect marble top (36"x22") and fitting washbowl—two metal, wood framed bath tubs, one copper lined the other "apartment size"—Solid walnut legs and frame, hair padded, swivel seats, super fine office chairs—10-gallon copper kettle, on iron frame of three iron legs. Other items, old walnut, etc., in Beatty's storage, suitable for Christmas presents and useful everyday, jars, jugs and force pumps.
See or phone Beatty 6302—202 S. Vine—Wishing you a Merry Christmas

As Advertised in Life
Cedar Chests
by
CAVALIER
Groll's — Waldo
On U. S. 23 midway between Marion and Delaware. Open Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday 'til 9.00 p. m

28—MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

Super Special
Brand new Hohner 80 bass accordions complete with case, $195.
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004.

Have your piano tuned for Christmas. Dial 2004.
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main. Dial 2004.

Grand Pianos
See the beautiful Sohmer in our window. Nine others.
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004.

LEEDY-SPARTON bass drum. Excellent condition. Reasonable. 278 Merchant

New Pan American Wood Clarinets with case, only $112.50. Holton Collegiate $89.50 with case.
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main. Dial 2004.

28—MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS

NEW [illegible]
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004.

[illegible] Phil Decker, piano tuner. [illegible]

New Spinet Pianos
$[illegible] and up [illegible] taxes. Grand pianos. Also high grade rebuilt grand pianos. All sizes.
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004

NEW and used Martin alto saxophones. New Pedler clarinets, new Selmer trumpets. Sheilhorns. Convenient terms. 126 W. Church.

NEW AND REBUILT PIANOS
HARDEN'S "Musical Merchandise" 178 S. Main St. Dial 2004.

29—BUSINESS EQUIPMENT

Modernize Your Office
with this beautiful, nearly new, flat-top walnut desk (glass top). Priced for quick sale. Glenn Walraven, White Truck dealer, 1111 N. Main.

30—BUILDING SUPPLIES

BARN door track—farm gate—masonite—hardware for the carpenter.
LOCKWOOD Lumber Co., Inc.
160 N. Greenwood Dial 4258

PLYWOOD
Used plywood, ¾", good used 2x4's
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We still have one-inch sheeting lumber at $60 per M.
We cut long timbers to your specifications.
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SILVER AND BREEN

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Complete installations, including sink, linoleum, electric and labor. Low monthly payments. Dial 5006.
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31—DRUGS

Health Lost
Can Be
Heath Regained
with
LOWER'S Z.Z.Z.
Gall, Liver and Bile Tablets
These tablets actually produce a limpid bile which is necessary in maintaining health and strength.
ON SALE ONLY AT
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PRESCRIPTIONS FILLED
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PRESCRIPTION COUGH SYRUP!
Lower's exclusive cough preparation that works amazingly fast—it's safe
OIL OF GUAICHROME!
The sensational remedy that breaks chest colds fast. Safe for kiddies.
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32—FOOD

ORDER your famous Thornecliff Turkeys NOW—
Dial 4106.

Apples
Apple Butter made from Golden Delicious apples, sweet cider.
RIESER'S FRUIT FARM
15 miles north of Marion on Rt. 23. Open daily and Sundays
Apples and Sorghum.
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NO. 1 POTATOES
only $3.99 cwt.
Today's Fresh Pork
Christmas Trees
50c each and up
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CHOCOLATES home made creams, also coating chocolate. Dial 5686 1118 E. Center St.

Christmas Trees
finest we've ever had
Box Christmas Chocolate Candy
Pop Wylie's Sinclair Station
Corner S. Vine and Church

WANTED—Custom butchering. Also beef for sale by quarters. Paul Hildebrand. Phone Bucyrus 2319.

32—FOOD

Christmas Baskets Fruit [illegible]

[illegible]

APPLES [illegible]
Dale Lawrence
Dial 82421 Smeltzer Road.

CHRISTMAS Turkeys, any size large or small. Close to town. Drive out and get yours. Three miles west on Route 30 or Dial 8236 and place your order. STARCHER'S TURKEY FARM

ORDER now for Christmas—dressed turkeys, chickens. D. B. Jones. [illegible] N. Prospect, Isaly Building.

Clover Farm Store
A. H. WILSON & SONS
GROCERIES—MEATS—KEROSENE GAS—OIL AND FEEDS
ICE—Prompt Service
No orders accepted for delivery after 1:29 p. m. same day.
COAL—All you want. Half tons or Truck Loads
Plenty of Good Wood for ALL KINDS OF FIRE
Proviso Feed—we have it
1014 N. Main. Dial 2175

33—SEEDS—PLANTS—FLOWERS

CHRISTMAS TREES—Clevenger & Parish Blue Sunoco Service Station. Just north of Marion on Routes 4 and 23.

300 Christmas Trees
2 ft. to 12 ft. Your choice $1.00. Dial 2637 for delivery. Corner Wood and Davids. John Reidel.

Cemetery Wreaths, Door Wreaths and Poinsettias
Cyclamen, African Violets, Novelties
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Beautiful live nursery grown spruce, balled in burlap; also large cut trees for churches, lodges, schools etc. Select now, delivery later.
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Always
Christmas Trees
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Ours Farm Market
Just south of Crystal Lake. Open all day Sunday.

ALL KINDS
CHRISTMAS TREES
Live and cut trees for all occasions. Also bubble-up lights, $3.95 per set.
Bob's Hi-Speed
Corner Columbia and Prospect.

Fine Selection—
Canadian Balsam
CHRISTMAS TREES
2 to 3 ft.—75c; 3 to 4 ft.—$1.10
5 to 6 ft.—$1.70; 7 to 8 ft.—$2.35
Ward's Farm Store

FRESH CUT SPRUCE BOUGHS
for Christmas Decorations
Grown in Marion County
Roland L. Leeper. Dial 3777.
717 S. Prospect St.

35—PUBLIC SALES

AUCTION SALE
Household Furniture and Automobile
at
197 Hughes Ave., Marion, Ohio
Wednesday, Dec. 17th
1 P. M.
Two piece wine tapestry living room suite, six piece lymed oak bedroom suite, complete, Simmons bed complete, five-piece limed oak breakfast set, 75 lb ice box, Estate heatrola, divided top gas range, white enamel kitchen cabinet, table and odd chairs, center stand, end tables, floor lamps, table lamps, new 9x12 rose Axminster rug and pad, 8x10 Axminster rug and pad, 9x12 congoleum rug, mirrors, odd beds, a lot of articles too numerous to mention. This furniture is all new, in excellent condition.
--AUTOMOBILE--
1938 Lincoln Zephyr business coupe in excellent condition. No body seats, good tires, low mileage.
Mr. Buyer this is a nice clean home, good clean furniture.
Terms—Cash.
Mr. Marion Highland, Owner
Sam Dorsey, Auctioneer

36—COAL DEALERS

No. 3 Pocahontas Coal
¾-inch by ¼-inch, treated. Suitable for stoker or hand firing
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182 Erie Dial 4168

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Buy Quality Coal
There Is a Difference in Coal
City Coal & Service
Dial 3279
C. E. Devson.

Reliable Coal & Supply
Jerry Dominy-Dial 2528-Ed Neidig.

C & O COAL YARDS
Silver and Breen. Dial 2209.

IT'S where what and how you advertise that Counts — Use The Marion Star Want Ads!

37—COAL HAULERS

OIL TREATED
Stoker Coal $9.50
[illegible] R. E. D[illegible]

[illegible] Henry St. [illegible]

[illegible]

38—CORDWOOD—KINDLING

CORDWOOD $6.50 single cord, $6 for two or more cord. This is the best. Not ashwood. Dial 6661

FOR SALE—Slab wood at the yard or delivered. Dial 82251

39—WANT TO BUY, TRADE, RENT

ANTIQUE furniture, pretty china, glass, cut glass lamps. 167 S. Main Dial 2505

WANTED—Good used, small piano. In good condition. Dial 7572

We still want straw. Phone 2565 Caledonia. M. WAIT

Raw Furs and Hides
Sanders Davids St.

Wanted: Hay
of all grades
ART CALLARI HAY CO.
Dial 82168

Hides — Tallow
WHITCUM HIDE & FUEL
195 Quarry Dial 2716.

40—DOGS—PETS—SUPPLIES

ONE-YEAR-OLD male Pomeranian, A.K.C. registered. Dial 5464. 560 E. Farming St.

GIVE English Springer Spaniel puppies for Christmas. Whelped Aug. 19th from show and champion stock. Choice of sex and color, pets $25.00 and $35.00, show prospects $50.00. Alankirk Kennels, 307 W. Central Ave., Delaware, Ohio.

ISN'T your dog worth a dollar? Buy him a tag. He is still your best friend.
MARION COUNTY DOG WARDEN
Dial 15432.

SILVER Buff Cocker puppies, A.K.C. registered. Champion stock. Will hold until Christmas. 404 Reed Ave. Dial 7755

Pair of Love Birds—$5.
Dial 5416

SPECIAL—Black and white Cocker puppies, Lovable Christmas gifts. Qu-Qua Kennels, five miles south on Rt. 23.

SILVER buff Cocker puppies, A.K.C. registered. Champion stock. Will hold until Christmas. 401 Reed Ave. Dial 7755

ENGLISH Bull puppies, A. K. C. registered. Excellent Christmas gifts. 579 N. Prospect & Lincoln Park.

MANCHESTERS, Toy Fox, Chihuahua, stud service puppies. Marachesa Kennels 543 E. George St.

BEAUTIFUL Cocker pups. Cheap for Christmas. Red, blonde and black. All A.K.C. registered. Three miles west on Route 30. Starcher's Turkey Farm

TOY Fox Terrier Puppies. Hold for Christmas. RU-BEE KENNELS, 1011 E. Water St., Prospect, O.

Dogs Boarded
Perry Hughes, just six miles south of city limits on Route 4. Phone 57F12 Prospect.

42—POULTRY AND SUPPLIES

U. S. Approved Pullorum controlled baby and started chicks. MARION HATCHERY Dial 2073

43—LIVESTOCK FOR SALE

11 PIGS for sale. Willis Snare, 2½ miles west of Big Island on the Gracely road.

THREE-DAY-OLD Holstein heifer calf. Paul W. Angenstein. Dial 82511.

GOOD six-year-old Palomino mare P. H. A. registered—safe in foal to P.H.A. horse. Arthur Bushong, Richwood, Ohio.

FOR SALE—Guernsey heifer, calf by side. Good size Jersey cow giving good flow of milk, one bull calf weighing 250 lbs. One two-year-old saddle colt broke the best. Dial 82132.

CLARIDON AUCTION
New Year's Day
Consign your livestock, automobiles, tractors or anything of value. Phone Earl W. Seckel, 82592.

YOUNG full blooded Domino breeding bulls and full blooded Hereford cows and heifers. LeRoy Bender, ¼ mile north of Waldo.

HIGHEST
Prices paid for lambs, calves, hogs and cattle. Price set at farm. No commission. No trucking charges. Dial 2384 Delaware, 1323 Waldo 82689 Marion.

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MARION STOCK YARDS
For daily prices on cattle, hogs, calves or sheep. Call Marion 2111. No commission charges. H. B. (Rosy) Rosenberger and C. R. (Dicky) Ward, proprietors. Geo. C. Dietsch, Mgr.

MARION PRODUCERS STOCKYARDS
A daily market for all kinds of livestock.
Livestock Auction
Each Monday
Feeder cattle and feeder lambs available at all times.
PRODUCERS LIVESTOCK COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
W. Center St.
Dial 2273 or 2468

COWS—Jerseys, Guernseys, one registered Ayrshire. Milton Yake, Rt. 1, Cardington, Ohio.

85 feeder lambs. Frank Washburn, 7½ miles west on Rt. 30.

SOW and eight fine pigs—Chester White gilts—R. W. Harvey & Son, 8½ miles west on Harding Highway, Marion.

Hampshire boars and gilts. Luther J. Mitchell and Son [illegible]

44—FEED—FARM EQUIPMENT

SEE THE NEW MODEL A AVERY TRU-DRAFT TRACTOR OUTFIT AT WARDS!
Has new hydraulic control with exclusive finger-touch control rod . . . and many other new features! Learn how Tru-Draft does a better job for you. See it now!
WARDS FARM STORE

Lime Hauling—Spreading
Stone, sand, cinders, dirt, etc.
M. E. Peterson. Dial 2735.

MILKER with ¾ horsepower motor. Used six months. $100.00. Complete. Phone Cardington 52R12

44—FEED—FARM EQUIPMENT

SAVE HERE ON FEED NEEDS
Available in Any Quantity
Hog Supplement
Poultry Supplement
Dairy Supplement
Marion County
FARM BUREAU
Co-op Association

HEATED FOUNTS
Batteries — Stock Tanks
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NEW manure loader, will fit Farmall H or M tractor. Also Estate Heatrola. Dial 82797.

CUSTOM corn picking. Two-row picker, two wagons. M. Williams, Gardner, Mt. Gilead, O. Rt. 2.

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Electrically operated—no power take-off . . . no gears . . . no trouble. Mount it on your tractor or truck —connect it to your battery and it's all set to go.
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15% hog $4.75
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FOR SALE—300 bushels corn. Inquire Ralph Lyon or Roy Garver, Caledonia, Ohio. Phone 2511.

Axle Unit Wagon	$ 72.50
Coupling Pole Wagon, two ton capacity	99.50
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7 ft. x 14 ft. Flat Rack and Grain Box	139.50
6 ft. x 48 in. Steel Trailer	119.50
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Used tires and tubes free on all wagons and trailers.

Power Corn Sheller	92.50
10-in. Hammermill	142.50
Electric 600-lb. Cream Separator	160.00
Portable Power Saw	365.00
Hydraulic Loader —up from	280.00
Garden Tractor with cultivator	175.00

Sears Roebuck & Co.
181 S. Main.

46—PUBLIC SALES

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Your "Live" Livestock Auctioneer
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Farm Sales, Livestock, Implement and Furniture. Anywhere, anytime.
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PUBLIC SALE
As the undersigned is quitting the farm, a complete closing out sale will be held at his residence known as the Shipley farm on Route 47, 5 miles west of Richwood and 1½ miles east of Somersville, on
Inside if weather is bad
Wednesday, Dec. 17
beginning at 11:30 o'clock, the following:
36—CATTLE—36
21 head of milk cows ranging in age from two years old to eight years old consisting of Holsteins, Guernseys and Shorthorns, fresh with calves at side and close-up springers, balance in heavy production at present time, six two-year-old Shorthorn heifers with calves at side, weight of calves from 300 to 400 pounds; four Shorthorn steers, weight around 650 lbs.; Holstein bull old enough for service. The above mentioned cows are above the average in production and test. Three Roan Shorthorn heifers; T. B. tested and Bang tested.
MILKING EQUIPMENT
Double unit stainless steel Farm-master milking machine including motor, pipe line and stall cocks for sixteen cows, eight milk cans, buckets and strainer.
TRACTOR OUTFIT
Allis Chalmer tractor, 36 model on good rubber, newly overhauled, in extra good condition with cultivators, Moline disc; two-bottom 12-inch Moline plow, John Deere fertilizer corn planter, Deering mower.
MISCELLANEOUS
Two wagons with flatrack and grain bed combined, steel drag harrow, steel roller; Dane hay loader, Kentucky 10-7 fertilizer grain drill, double and single shovel plows, Clover Leaf manure spreader, feed grinder and new burrs, alfalfa steel rake, blacksmith outfit consisting of anvil, vise, blower, tongs, hammers and small tools, emery with motor; double harpoon hay fork; log chain, single trees and double trees; jack screws.
HAY AND GRAIN
35 tons of heavy mixed hay in mow; 400 wire bale wheat straw; between 350 and 400 bushels corn in crib.
Some household goods including Majestic range.
Terms Cash
Lunch by P.-T. A.
E. A. Cornwell & Daisey Haines
Simpson & Son, Auctioneers
David Davis, Clerk

46—PUBLIC SALES

[illegible] Auctioneer [illegible]

SAM DORSEY, AUCTIONEER [illegible]

D. W. [illegible] Auctioneer [illegible]

47—WANTED LIVESTOCK

GET CASH
Dead or Disabled Stock
HORSES $20, CATTLE $20.
HOGS $6 PER CWT.
According to Size and Condition
Reverse charges, call
Marion 2150—Kenton 8269
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WANTED
DEAD or ALIVE
Horses $20—Cows $20
Hogs $6 cwt.
According to size—condition
Reverse - Call - Green Camp
Charges—5622 — Ohio
Green Camp Fertilizer
Phone Delaware, O.—2305.
E. G. BUCHSIEB INC.

50—MONEY TO LOAN

Federal Land Bank
4% Farm Loans 4%
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USE OUR LOW-COST BANK FINANCING
Borrow the bank way and build up a valuable bank credit—convenient terms.
The
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Convenient, dependable service.
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Something New—Long Time Loans
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To Finance Your Home
See
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Tacie P. Raynes
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TWO-STORY brick building with living quarters above, business room below. Will sell cheap if sold soon.

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52—WANTED TO BORROW

WANTED to borrow—$3,000 on factory equipment. First mortgage with reasonable interest and share in profit. Write Box 23 care Star

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ONE nice sleeping room and bath. Close to shops. Dial 2684

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56—HOUSES FOR RENT

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LOVELY home in southeast [illegible] (three bedrooms) beautifully furnished, automatic gas furnace. Rent for winter—$125 per month. Ask the R. T. Lewis Co. 314, Dick McCormick evenings—[illegible]

58—BUSINESS PROPERTY—RENT

BUSINESS building for rent or sale. New Bloomington. See Charles Miller after 6 p. m. Also one pin-ball machine for sale.

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WANTED to rent or lease—400 or 500 acre farm. Box 20, Star.

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Six room preference, unfurnished, east or south. Call C. N. [illegible] days 2121, nights 9140.

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63—HOUSES FOR SALE

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150 ACRES—Morrow county, excellent stock farm. On a highway. Good eight room house, two baths, electricity in all buildings. $16,500. Cash required $8,000. Will consider house in Marion as part payment.

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69A—WANTED LISTINGS

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1946 CHEVROLET Truck, 1½ ton. Flat rack and sides. W. S. Guthery, LaRue, Ohio.

'46 INTERNATIONAL 1½ Ton KS5, 160" wheelbase, 8.25x20 tires all around. Heater and defrosters. Dual electric wipers. Low mileage. ACT QUICKLY!

'46 CHEVROLET Sedan Delivery. Heater and defroster, helper springs, ... tires all around. 12,000 miles.

'41 DODGE Pickup. H. D. rear springs and helpers. 7.00x15 tires. Four-speed transmission. Heater and deluxe oil filter.

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SALES
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Long wheelbase—chassis and cab. Motor has just been thoroughly reconditioned, rings, valves, etc. All new tires, less than 5,000 miles. Original paint. Farmers—if you need a truck—hurry to see this one.

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76—PASSENGER CARS FOR SALE

'41 Pontiac Torpedo Streamliner Sedan Coupe.
'37 Chevrolet Two-Door.
'37 Willys Four-Door, five new tires.
'34 Olds Four-Door.
'40 Ford Coupe.
'35 Hudson Four-Door Sedan.
'34 Ford Coupe.

Greenwood Used Car Sales
Greenwood at Farming. Dial 2157.

The Best for Less
1946 Ford Tudor.
1942 Chevrolet Club Coupe.
1940 Ford (2).
1940 Ford Panel Truck.
1939 Olds Sedan.
1937 Ford Fordor Sedan.
1936 Chevrolet Pickup Truck.

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Dial 82433.

1935 Dodge Four Door Sedan, $175.
Phone LaRue 1013

1936 FORD DeLuxe Coach with 1946 motor. Radio, heater and good tires. Also 1947 Howard 27-ft. all aluminum housetrailer with electric refrigerator and bottle gas stove. Sell together or separate. Turn north at Big Island to first cross road. Robert Grate.

1937 FORD Tudor, 85 h. p. Motor overhauled, new battery, generator and tires. Priced for quick sale at $475. See Marvin Swinehart at Chief Union office in Upper Sandusky.

1939 Ford Sedan,
excellent condition.
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1942 Chevrolet Club Coupe. A-1. 305 Franconia.

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1948 Special deluxe Ford "6" for sale or trade. ... Bennett St.

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1941 BUICK Sedanette, radio, heater, low mileage. Good condition. ... Bradford ... Dial 7461.

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1941 Dodge Two-Door.
1941 Chevrolet Two-Door (2).

Mapes Motor Co.
155 W. Center St. Dial 7132.

1940 CHEVROLET Special DeLuxe Town Sedan. Looks like new. Call Walter D. Moore, Guardian. Dial Office 9256. Home 4511.

1934 MASTER Chevrolet Two-Door. Good condition. Call after 3 p. m. 846 Woodrow. Dial 5914.

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1939 Plymouth.
1942 Buick Special.
1939 Chevrolet Coach.
1936 Chevrolet Coupe.
1941 Studebaker Commander.
1937 Dodge Panel ½ Ton.
1936 G.M.C. 1½ Ton, new grain bed.
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Low mileage
1939 Plymouth Sedan
$795
Radio and Heater
1936 Ford Pick-up $295

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1941 Oldsmobile-6 Sedan (new motor).
1941 Ford Super DeLuxe Sedan.
1937 Ford Sedan.
1937 Graham Sedan.
We Buy Good Used Cars
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Harry's Sinclair
Rt. 23 across from Children's Home.

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'47 MERCURY Four-Door Sedan. Heater—radio—seat covers. Low miles—car perfect condition.

'42 CHEVROLET Four-Door Sedan. Heater—radio—seat covers. A fine car.

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1941 SPECIAL DeLuxe Plymouth. Radio and heater. ... miles and ... Dial ... or ... Wipler.

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1938 PLYMOUTH coach, new tires and clutch, excellent condition. Mrs. Fred Spriggs, ... Mary St.

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Dependable Used Cars
Newly Reconditioned
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To Give You
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Motoring
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1947 Ford
6 Super DeLuxe Tudor Sedan. Radio—heater—seat covers, 3,000 miles—new car guarantee.

1946 Chevrolet
Four-Door Sport Sedan. Underseat heater—very low mileage. Excellent finish and upholstery.

1942 Chevrolet
Fleetmaster Two-Door Town Sedan. Underseat heater. New finish—mechanically sound.

1941 Chevrolet
Business Coupe. New finish—mechanically guaranteed.

1941 Dodge
DeLuxe Business Coupe. Radio — heater — new seat covers. An exceptionally clean car.

1940 Dodge
1½ Ton Truck — Model VF-31, 133" wheelbase—can be used with dump body or fifth wheel.

1938 DeSoto
Two-Door Brougham. Radio—heater—seat covers. Engine thoroughly reconditioned with new pistons, rings, bearings, new clutch—new finish.

1930 Buick
Sport Coupe. Newly painted—priced to sell.

Special Notice
NEW Dodge
Job-Rated Trucks

We Have on Hand for Immediate Delivery the Following NEW Trucks:

1947 Dodge
2½ Ton—Model WJA-57. 160" wheel base—9.00x20 tires, 2-speed Timken axle.

1947 Dodge
1½ Ton — C.O.E. — Model WFM-38. 159" wheelbase—will carry 17' body. 7.50x20 10-ply tires. Heavy duty springs and frame.

Buy With Confidence
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244 N. Main St.
Your Authorized Dealer for
DODGE - PLYMOUTH
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Dial 2086—2239.

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'42 PLYMOUTH Four-Door in good condition. Radio, twin heater and four new tires. Will trade on pickup. Edward Peterman, one mile north and one mile east of Morrel, Ohio.

Willis Used Car Exchange
Richwood, Ohio. Phone 2121.

USED CARS
1941 Ford Tudor.
1938 Plymouth Two-Door, good condition.
1932 Chevrolet Coupe, good farm car.
1941 Ford truck, two-ton long wheel base, with grain body.

McKinney Motor Sales, Inc.
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HURRY!
Buy these cars while you can still finance them on 24 Months Plan.

1946 HUDSON SUPER 6
Two-Door Sedan
Radio and heater. Very clean.

1946 HUDSON SUPER 6
Business Coupe
Excellent condition. Reasonable.

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1936 FORD Tudor, in good condition 53,000 miles. One owner. LaRue, Rt. 2, Benton Denman Jr.

Dave's Sales and Service
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1941 CHEVROLET Town Sedan. For sale or trade. Dial 5297.

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Best Buys in Marion

1941 Oldsmobile — 6 Two-Door Sedan.
1941 Oldsmobile 8 — Four-Door Sedan.
1941 Chevrolet Two-Door Sedan.
1940 Chevrolet Four-Door Sedan.
1941 Plymouth Coupe.
1937 LaSalle Four-Door Sedan.
1937 Packard 110 Four-Door Sedan.
1936 Plymouth Four-Door Sedan.

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MUST SELL
Year End Clearance
'46 Dodge Convertible.
'46 Chevrolet Four-Door.
'42 Plymouth Two-Door.
'42 Pontiac Two-Door.
'42 Olds Two-Door.
'41 Chevrolet Four-Door Special.
'41 Pontiac Two-Door.
'41 Plymouth Convertible.
'41 Chevrolet Master Two-Door.
'41 Chevrolet Special Two-Door.
'41 Plymouth Two-Door.
'41 Willys Four-Door.
'41 Chevrolet Club Coupe.
'41 Cadillac Coupe.
'41 Olds Coupe.
'41 Pontiac Club Coupe.
'40 Buick Two-Door.
'39 Plymouth Four-Door.
'38 Chevrolet Two-Door.
'38 Ford Tudor.
'38 Willys Coupe.
'38 Willys Four-Door.
'38 Buick Four-Door.
'38 Dodge Coupe.
'38 Ford Fordor.
'37 Chevrolet Two-Door.
'37 Ford Tudor (60).
'37 Olds Four-Door.
'37 Ford Fordor—60.
'37 Plymouth Four-Door.
'37 Studebaker Four-Door.
'36 Chrysler Four-Door.
'36 Plymouth Four-Door.
'36 Ford Tudor.
'36 Chevrolet Four-Door.
'36 Plymouth Two-Door.
'36 Graham Four-Door.
'36 Dodge Four-Door.
'36 Chevrolet Coupe.
'35 Chevrolet Coupe.
'35 Dodge Four-Door.
'35 Ford Tudor.
'35 Plymouth Two-Door.
'35 Chevrolet Four-Door.
'34 Plymouth Two-Door.
'34 Chevrolet Two-Door.
'32 Studebaker.
'32 Ford (4) Coach.
'30 Ford Coach.
'30 Ford Coupe.

Trucks
'42 Dodge 1½ Ton.
'42 Chevrolet Pickup.
'46 Willys Jeep.
'41 Chevrolet Pickup.
'41 Chevrolet Sedan Delivery.
'38 Chevrolet 1½ Ton, stake body.
'37 Ford Pickup.
'36 International Panel.

Motorcycles
'35 Harley 74.
'39 Harley 61.
'45 Harley 45.

Chivington Auto Sales
Willys Sales and Service
244 N. Main. Open Evenings.

1941 BUICK SPECIAL
Four-Door Sedan

1941 OLDSMOBILE—6
Four-Door Sedan

1939 BUICK COACH

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Buick Co.
299 W. Center. Dial 2137.

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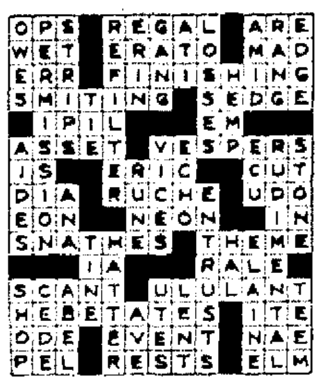
Steve Canyon By Milton Caniff

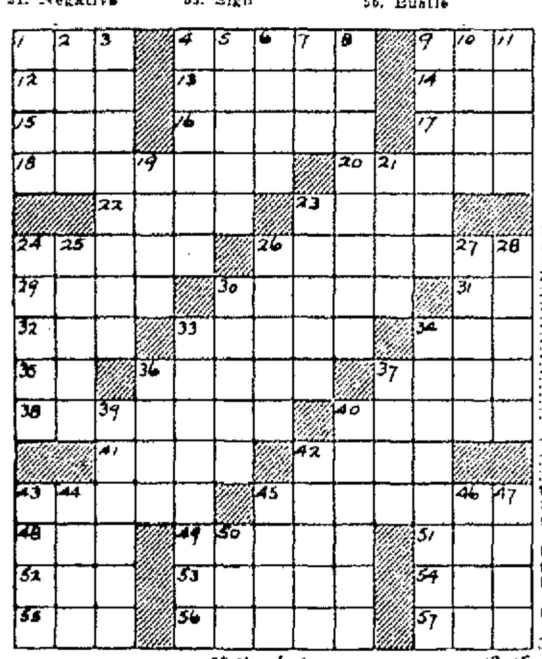
Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS
1. Rocky peak
4. Flower
9. Total
12. Malt beverage
13. To one side
14. Mother of Peer Gynt
15. Ignited
16. Landed estate of a lord
17. Light repast
18. Valor
20. Reject disdainfully
22. Pair
23. Needy
24. Meaning
26. Pertaining to a law
29. Three-spot
30. Of the voice
31. Negative
32. Measure of length
33. Beast of burden
34. Handle roughly
35. While
36. Compact
37. Melody
38. Oceanic
40. Italian river
41. Greedy
42. Dance
43. Mark of omission
45. Run into each other
48. Metal-bearing compound
49. Before: nautical
51. Food fish
52. Free
53. Sign
54. Cuckoolike bird
55. Bustle
56. Put forth
57. Clear profit



Solution of Saturday's Puzzle

DOWN
1. Soft mineral
2. Medley
3. Gave back
4. Mexican dish
5. Custom
6. Cover the inside
7. Artificial language
8. Affecting an individual
9. Planet
10. Employer
11. Denote
19. Red
21. Indoor game
22. Walked
24. Thong
25. Uneven
26. Funny
27. Empty
28. Cringe
30. Sound
33. Think
34. Ancient Roman tax gatherer
36. Except
37. Cultivate
39. City in Texas
40. Special ability
42. Shipworm
43. Mexican Indian
44. Dry
45. Fuel
46. Sufficiently cooked
47. Prepare for the press
50. Wild animal



AP Newsfeatures 12-15

Walter Melby Heads Spanish War Veterans

Walter H. Melby was elected commander at a meeting of Marion Camp No. 32, United Spanish War Veterans, Friday night at the Armory. James E. Messenger was elected senior vice commander, R. M. Miller, junior vice commander and John Monk, trustee for three years. The newly-elected commander appointed Elmer R. Bondley to serve as adjutant and James G. Orahood as quartermaster. The appointment will mark Mr. Bondley's 35th year in the office of adjutant.

Plans were made to join the auxiliary members at a meeting next Friday at the Legion dugout and for the installation of officers the third Friday in January.

Lucy Webb Hayes Circle Meets at Bolander Home

The Lucy Webb Hayes Circle of Epworth Methodist church met Thursday night with Miss Audrey Bolander of 459 South Prospect street. Serving as associate hostesses were Mrs. Grace Rea, Mrs. Clara Campbell, Mrs. Grace Ulsh and Miss Effie Oliphant. Mrs. R. F. Moore was a guest. Mrs. Louise Fogle conducted devotions and Mrs. Maude Robinson was in charge of the program on the subject, "For Unto Us a Child Is Born." During this, special Christmas music and solos were given by Mrs. Florence Acker. Members reported 39 visitation calls.

One-Woman Bureau Aids Homeless Folks

By The United Press

ANN ARBOR, Mich.—A 25-year-old mother, Mrs. Dennis Kuhn, is becoming the unofficial housing expediter of Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Kuhn offered a room for rent in a housing-hungry town that has some 20,000 University of Michigan students.

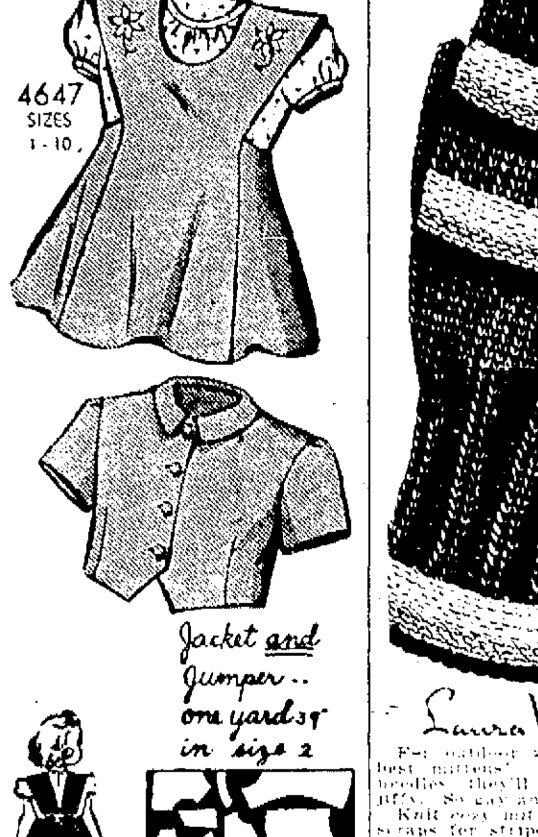
Applicants converged on her six-room house. They flooded her rooms, lined up outside, and rang the telephone incessantly.

With the aid of the local newspaper and radio station, Mrs. Kuhn then invited Ann Arbor residents to make rooms available in their homes and register them with her. Offers poured in.

She invited homeless persons to register and began directing the most needy to the places available.

Daily Pattern For Home Use

By ANNE ADAMS



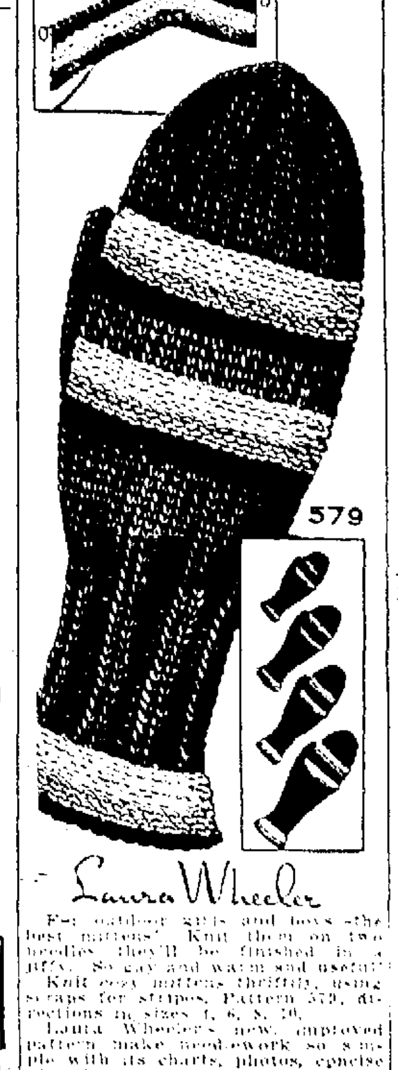
Sweet little outfit for sweet little girls, Pattern 4647. One yard makes jacket plus jumper, size 2. Blouse, one piece. Transfer for embroidery.

This pattern, easy to use, simple to sew, is tested for fit. Includes complete illustrated instructions.

Pattern 4647 comes in toddler's sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 8, 10. Size 2, jumper and jacket, takes 1 yard 39-inch; blouse, 3/4 yard 35-inch.

Send Twenty-five cents in coins for this pattern to The Marion Star, 106 Pattern Dept., 243 West 17th St., New York 11, N. Y. Print plainly Name, Address with Zone, Size and Style Number.

NEEDLEWORK PATTERN



For outdoor girls and boys—the best mittens! Knit them on two needles—they'll be finished in a jiffy. So easy and warm and useful!

Knit cosy mittens thriftily, using scraps for stripes. Pattern 579, directions in sizes 4, 6, 8, 10.

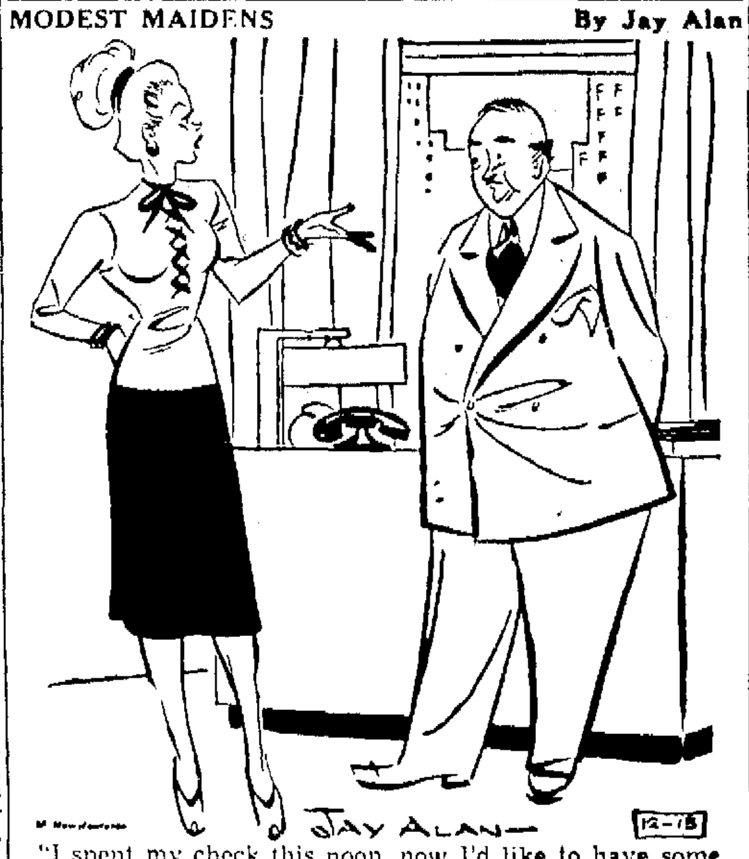
Laura Wheeler's new, improved pattern make needlework so simple with its charts, photos, concise directions.

Send Twenty Cents in coins for this pattern to The Marion Star, 86 Needlecraft Dept., P. O. Box 22, Station E, Brooklyn 26, N. Y. Print plainly Pattern Number, your Name, Address and Zone.

Your New 1948 Laura Wheeler Needlecraft Book is ready! Send Fifteen Cents and get the best needlecraft catalog ever published. 101 illustrations of the finest designs: embroidery, crochet, knitting, home decoration, toys, accessories. Printed in this book is a Free instructions for weaving on huck toweling—the newest hobby!

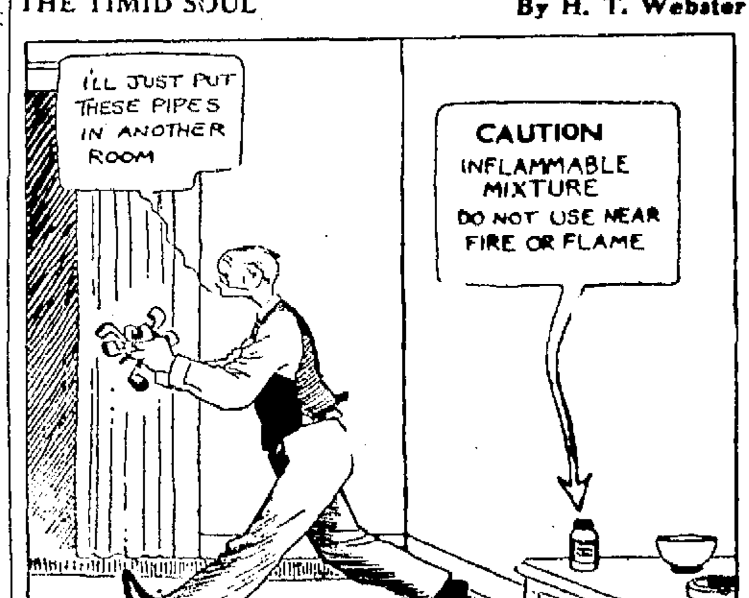
Thimble Theater

MODEST MAIDENS By Jay Alan



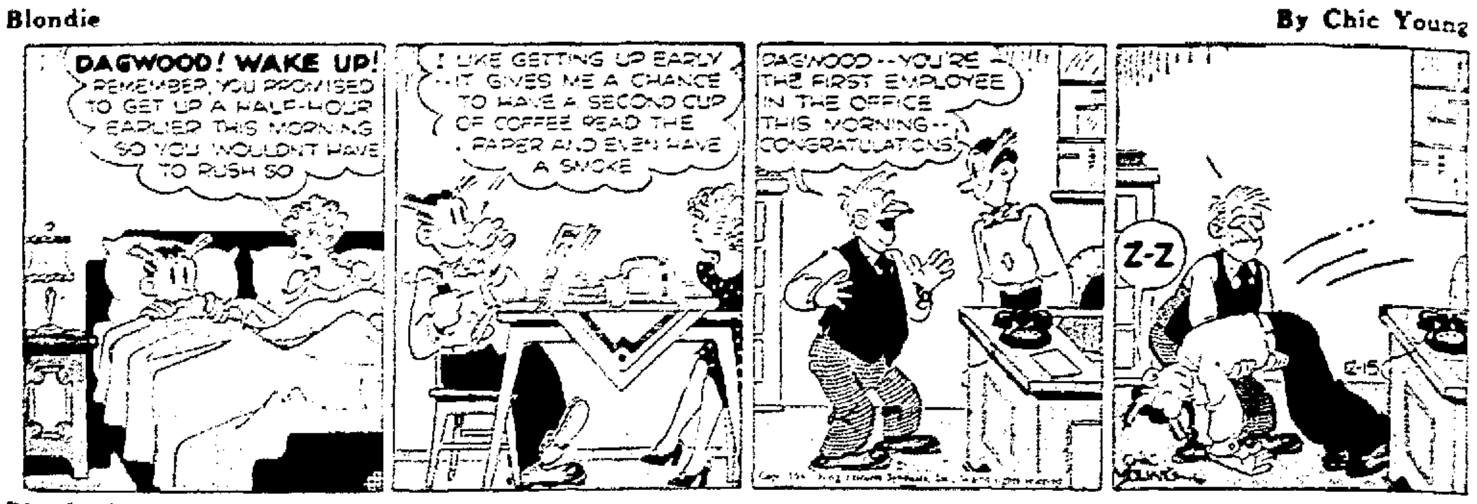
"I spent my check this noon, now I'd like to have some of that take home pay!"

THE TIMID SOUL By H. T. Webster



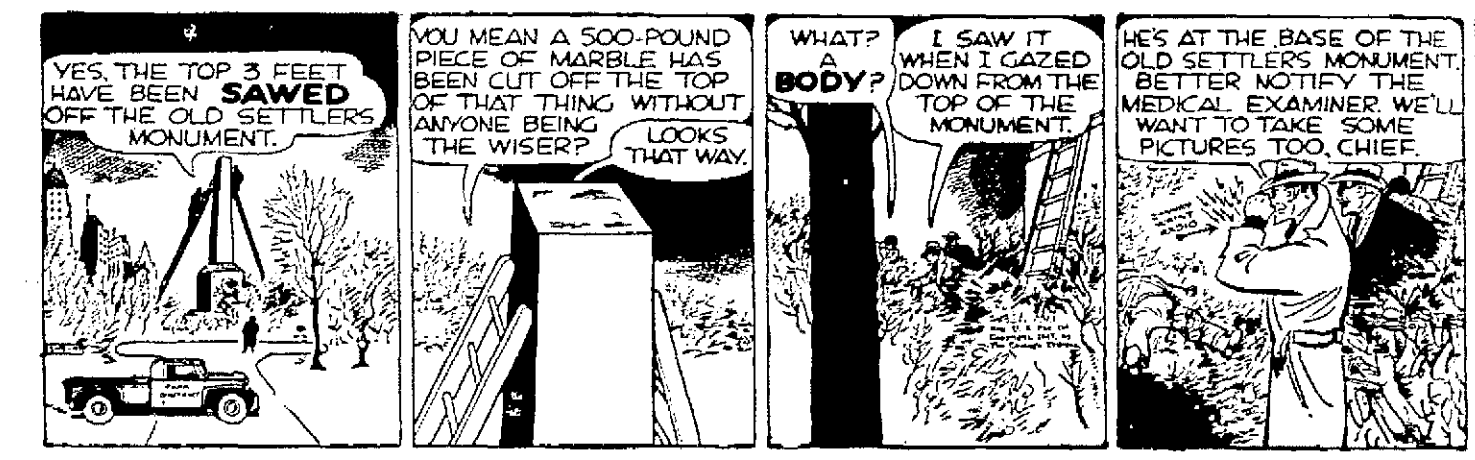
SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK By R. J. Scott

Blondie By Chic Young



Rip Kirby By Alex Raymond

Dick Tracy By Chester Gould



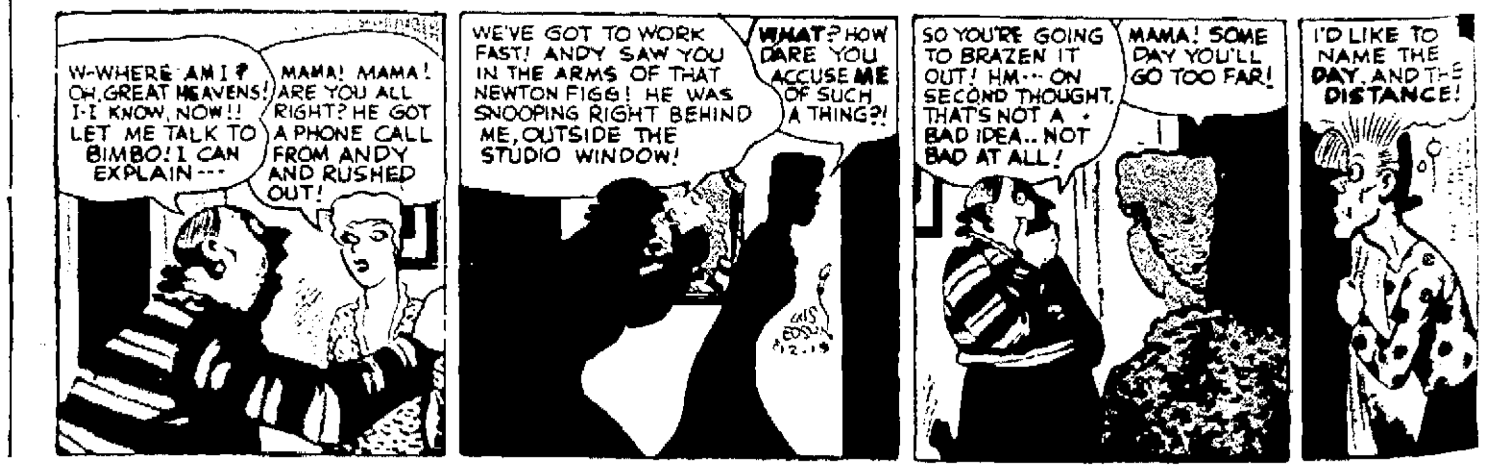
Superman By Jerry Siegel and Joe Shuster

Gasoline Alley By Frank King

Joe Palooka By Ham Fisher

Terry and the Pirates By George Wunder

The Gumps By Gus Edson



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